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STORMS THREATENING IN IRISH FREE STATE

GANDHI REMOVED TO HOSPITAL

Believed Suffering From Kidney Trouble

Poona, Aug. 20.

Gandhi has been removed from Yeravda Gaol to the Civil Hospital where there are better opportunities for medical attention and nursing than in prison.

It is believed that Gandhi is suffering from kidney trouble.—*Reuter.*

TAIMOSHAN IN ALASKA

MAKE DUTCH HARBOUR AFTER 80 DAYS

GOING STRONG

London, Aug. 21.

Twenty-ton ketch, Taimoshan, which left Hongkong on May 30 manned by five British naval officers, have completed one of the most dangerous stages of their long journey round the world.

They arrived yesterday at Dutch Harbour, Alaska, from Japan, having travelled through some troublous weather more or less along the track of the Aleutian Islands.

They plan, it is learned, to continue their voyage to England to-morrow (August 22), travelling via the Panama Canal.

After leaving Panama, they will head for the West Indies.

IN GOOD SPIRITS.

Up to the present, the yachting adventurers have been on their voyage for about eighty days and have covered, by the route followed, well over six thousand miles. They have been maintaining excellent daily average mileage when under way and though they have met with some bad weather have come through in gay spirits.—*Reuter.*

YOUNG COUPLE'S SUICIDE

TRAGEDY ABOARD LUNGSHAN

A young Chinese couple, well-dressed, who boarded the s.s. Lungshan in Canton yesterday, giving their names as Mr. and Mrs. Chen, were found to be missing when the vessel berthed in Hongkong last night.

The cabin which they occupied was locked on the inside. It was broken open but they were not to be found. An open porthole suggested suicide and the belief appears to be confirmed by a note left behind.

NEW PLANES FOR NANKING

SATISFACTORY TESTS AT HANGCHOW

Nanking, Aug. 20.

It is now officially announced that Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, in the course of his European tour, purchased ten Italian-made aeroplanes which he has contributed to the Nanking Aviation School. These planes arrived in

THE BLUE SHIRT PARADES

GEN. O'DUFFY DEFIES DE VALERA

MINOR SCUFFLES

DUBLIN, AUG. 20.

DUBLIN WAS IN A STATE OF TENSION THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE DAY, THOUGH THE CITY WAS VERY QUIET APART FROM MINOR SCUFFLES.

Reuter was informed at the headquarters of the National Guard, General O'Duffy's Blue Shirts, that all Blue Shirt parades were held through the countryside as arranged, but the details were not divulged.

There was no sign in Dublin of a provocative parade and the fears of a clash between the Blue Shirts and the Irish Republican Army were borne out.

General O'Duffy's message read to all parades, declared that if politics mean squabbles, the time has come to abolish politics.

Mr. de Valera, having threatened to proscribe the Blue Shirts if the parades were held, Ireland is now awaiting his next move.

MR. DE VALERA'S PLAIN WARNING

Early in the day a clear warning was issued by Mr. de Valera, declaring that the Blue Shirts would be proclaimed illegal if the Minister of Justice received reports to-morrow that uniformed parades of Blue Shirts have been held to-day.

Mr. de Valera, who was addressing a meeting at Thurles, added that members of the National Guard openly professing to belong to the organisation would be subjected to the penalties provided under the Public Safety Act.

O'DUFFY'S RESPONSE.

General O'Duffy, the leader of the Blue Shirts, has responded to this challenge by declaring that "the National Guard will neither dissolve voluntarily nor allow itself to be driven underground.

He added: "If, in spite of the legal constitutional character of the National Guard, the Government declares it to be an unlawful association," the Government will be guilty of a positive act of tyranny."

"REPUBLIC" RUMOURS.

Meanwhile, rumours have been in circulation, following hints of the assumption of dictatorial powers by Mr. de Valera that he intends shortly to proclaim the existence of an Irish Republic.—*Reuter.*

RACE FOR AIR SUPREMACY

BRITAIN REPORTED PLACING ORDERS

London, Aug. 15.

That Great Britain is firmly determined to expand her air-fleet in the event of a failure of the Disarmament Conference, is alleged in to-day's issue of the *Daily Herald*.

The paper states that orders will be placed for a hundred new chasers with an extraordinarily high speed in case no agreement is reached at Geneva regarding the limitation of the world's air forces. In addition a special fleet of seaplanes will be built for the navy. The designs are already prepared for planes of a new type.

While conspicuously displaying these alleged schemes of the Government, the paper criticises them as bound to usher in a new era of international aerial competition.

AUSTRALIAN TAX CUTS EXPECTED

BARGAINING FOR BETTER BANK RATES

Melbourne, Aug. 15.

The Prime Minister, Mr. J. A. Lyons, conferred to-day with representatives of the associated banks and with Commonwealth banking and treasury officials.

He is expected to offer a substantial cut of ten per cent. in the super-tax on income derived from property and an early abolition of the federal land tax. These concessions will be held out to the associated banks as reasons why the rate of interest on overdrafts for industry should be further reduced.

The Prime Minister to-day also gave details of the Government of

FREAK GALE DISASTER

ATLANTIC CITY STRUCK

MANY INJURED BY HUGE WAVE

New York, Aug. 20.

Atlantic City was to-day struck by a freak storm, which appeared to develop close by, sweeping into the city without the slightest warning.

Fishing boats and excursion boats were capsized by the violent gale and it is feared that a heavy loss of life occurred.

Guards on the bathing beach at Ocean City saved over a hundred persons who were caught by a huge wave which swept into shore like a tidal wave and carried all before it.

Many were injured by violent dashing against the beach and the sea bed.

Thirty skating parties have not



Hongkong's first surfboard regatta at Repulse Bay. The crowded beach interfered considerably. The photo shows the start of the ladies' race and below is a group of interested onlookers.

U.S. RECOVERY PROGRAMME PERIL

TRUNK MURDER CASE

ACCUSED BEFORE COURT

PROCEEDINGS IN CAMERA

Secrecy shrouds the trial in Shanghai of Patricio Remedios, aged 24, and Jose Remedios, aged 26, both Portuguese subjects, who were arrested on Monday last week in connection with the death of the young Chinese woman Choy Ling, whose body was found in a trunk in the first class baggage room of the s.s. Shanghai Maru after she had left port for Nagasaki on August 5.

A large crowd of people gathered outside the Portuguese Consulate shortly after 10.30 on Tuesday morning to catch a glimpse of the two young men who appeared at the preliminary hearing and entered a plea of "not guilty." The two arrived from Amoy Road gaol in a motor car in custody of two Municipal detectives and were immediately whisked away into the courtroom, entrance to which was barred to the public.

An enterprising photographer discovered that a window at the side was not shuttered up like the rest, and, mounting his camera, prepared to take a "snap." This was foiled, however, by Consular officials, who closed the window.

CONSUL'S STATEMENT.

Dr. J. B. Ferreira da Silva, the Consul-General Consular Judge, has since issued a statement to the press.

Only the preliminary hearing of the evidence will be given in Shanghai, he said. No one will be allowed in the Court at any time except the Consular Judge, the counsel for the prosecution (Mr. A. Liko), the counsel for the defence (Mr. T. Rangel), Patricio and Jose Remedios, and a witness. Nothing will be given out to the public, and the witnesses will be called into the court one by one to give evidence.

Dr. da Silva further said that if he finds sufficient evidence to support a charge being laid against the accused, the trial will be held in Macao where it will be held by a judge and jury. Giving his reason for this step, the Consul-General said that there has never been a similar case here before, and he did not think the Court was competent enough to take on such a big affair.

AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS.

In regard as to whether any of the details of the case will be made public, he said that if it is decided to hold the trial in Macao, he will get an authorisation from the authorities there to hear the evidence again—this time it will be public.

Evidence of the prosecution is allowed will then

CUBA- REVOLUTION AFTERMATH

Chief of Police Takes Own Life

Havana, Aug. 20.

Senor Ainciart, Cuba's former Chief of Police, and his bodyguard, committed suicide to-day sooner than face arrest.—*Reuter.*

DOLLFUSS AND MUSSOLINI

ITALY PROMISES SUPPORT

AMBASSADOR TO ACT AGAIN

Rome, Aug. 21.

Dr. Dollfuss, Austria's diminutive Chancellor, is returning to Vienna well satisfied with the results of his visit to Italy.

Dr. Dollfuss met Signor Mussolini at Riccione and it is learned that a complete agreement on all questions discussed between them was reached as the result of a long conversation.

No details have been revealed, but it is understood that all aspects of the political situation in Austria were reviewed and that Italy has promised every assistance in maintaining Austria's independence.

Signor Mussolini expressed the opinion that he could render most effective help to Austria through friendly conversations in Berlin through the Italian Ambassador.—*Reuter.*

YOUNG MARSHAL'S NEW POST

JAPANESE WARNING TO PEKING

Changchun, Aug. 16.

The reported appointment to the post of the chairman of the military council of the five provinces of the North-east of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, is opposed by the Japanese Kwantung Army on the ground that it violates the spirit of the Tangku truce agreement signed between China and Japan recently.

The Kwantung Army Headquarters to-day dispatched a warning to the Chinese authorities with regard to the matter.

CODES FORCE UP PRICES

TEXTILE FIRMS IN TROUBLE

MILLS MAY BE CLOSED

Washington, Aug. 20.

Owing to the persistent reservations and objection to the oil code drafted by the Recovery Administration and signed by President Roosevelt, an effort is to be made to reach a satisfactory compromise.

President Roosevelt has now agreed to appoint a committee representative of the industry, which will examine the code and suggest what modifications they consider desirable.

The President does not infer that he will agree to all the modifications suggested. The men have agreed to abide by his recommendations.

PRICE-FIXING POLICY.

It is understood that the Administration does not consider any code to be final. Mr. Roosevelt is projecting a three months' trial of codes like steel and oil and they may be altered according to the experience gathered in the first three months of their operation.

Nevertheless, it seems clear that the Administration has now definitely embarked upon a price-fixing policy.

COTTON PERIL.

Meanwhile, one of the dangers of the Administration's recovery programme is already becoming manifest in the cotton textile industry, the first industry to draft an industrial code, setting the model for the rest.

It is stated that the textile industry has been compelled by the increased cost of production due to the code and the processing tax to increase price to such an extent as to imperil consumption. So serious is the problem that it is foreshadowed that the falling off in sales may force the closing of many mills.—*Reuter.*

HENRY COTTON BEATS WALTER HAGEN

Exhibition Match in Brussels

Brussels, Aug. 20.

In an exhibition

Betty Takes the First Set

MRS. MOODY RECOVERS AFTER EARLY SHOCK

THRILLS IN U.S. TENNIS

Forest Hills, Aug. 20.

Miss Betty Nuthall, whose chequered career on the tennis court has made her very much of an enigma, startled Forest Hills to-day by sweeping Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody off the court in the first set of their semi-final match in the American national singles championship.

Mrs. Moody finally won, but only after she had conceded a set for the second time within two months. The scores in her favour read:

2—6, 6—3, 6—2.

According to *Reuter* Miss Nuthall played marvellous tennis in the first set. She stormed Mrs. Moody with a blistering attack of strokes of every variety.

Not only were her shots fierce in pace, but were consistently accurate. The English girl found the corners every time and kept Mrs. Moody running from side to side.

THE FIRST SET.

Miss Nuthall quickly won the first three games, then dropped the fourth. She won her own service at the fifth, captured Mrs. Moody's for a 5-2 lead, lost her own in the seventh and then ran out comfortably to capture the first set.

Her success seemed to be too great for her and in the subsequent sets she failed to gain control over her strokes.

On the other hand Mrs. Moody improved as the game progressed and once she had levelled by taking the second set at 6-3, the result was foregone.

On Saturday, Mrs. Moody and Miss Nuthall qualified for the semi-final by beating Miss Mary Heeley and Miss Alice Marble respectively.

MRS. MOODY INEXORABLE.

Mrs. Moody was inexorable and had such command of the game that she won at will. The English girl, a Wimbledon victim of Mrs. Moody, could not get going and lost the initial set in love. After this there was little chance of recovering her confidence and with the American playing better and better, it was only a question of how long it would take for her to win.

Miss Nuthall did not enjoy the same easy passage. She lost the opening set to an inspired player. Thereafter Betty was right on top. Miss Marble failed to win a game in the second set, but she fought gamely in the last and tried hard to break through.

Latest scores sent by *Reuter*:

SINGLE.

QUARTER-FINALS.

Mrs. H. Wills-Moody (U.S.) beat Miss Mary Heeley (G.B.) 6-0, 6-2.

Miss B. Nuthall (G.B.) beat Miss Alice Marble (U.S.) 6-3, 6-0, 7-5.

SEMI-FINAL



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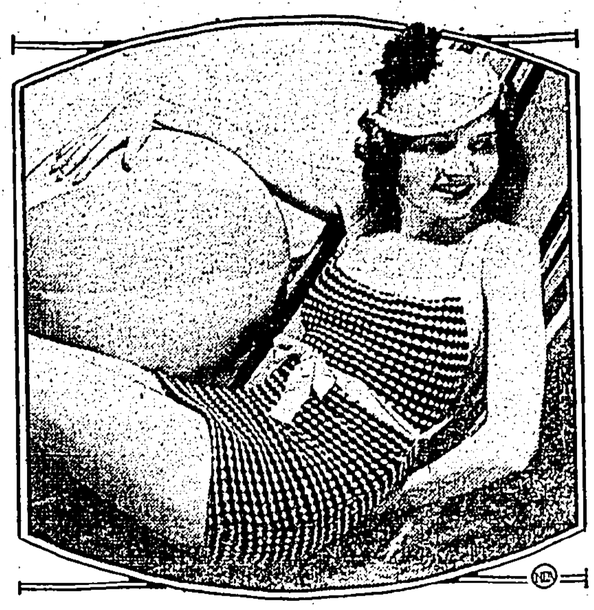


THE WORLD OF WOMEN



DOTTING THE BEACHES

Chic Is at High Tide in This Black-White Suit



Chic signs on the dotted line for bathing suits this year. Particularly when the dotted line is made up of little tufted dots that run together to make an effective white stripe in a black wool suit.

The square neckline is also new. New too is the white strapping which can be worn tied at the back of the neck, like a halter neckline, or crossed, brought through loops and tied like a sash in front. The suit is sun-back, of course. And the little white hat takes a black pompon to tie up with the suit.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF

Don't Let Freckles Get You Down

By Alicia Hart

Freckles can be pretty on some women.

If you happen to be a young modern, then a little string of freckles across your nose and cheeks will heighten your charm.

If you wish to be a fragile, clinging vine, then you must do something about your freckles. For they have an urchin-something about them that ruins any attempt to pull a shrinking violet line.

As a matter of fact, freckles often come with the loveliest, most transparent skins. Don't let freckles give you a complex! If they threaten to, start now to work on them.

With freckles, as with everything else, an ounce of prevention is worth several cures. Protect your skin, that's the first step. Use good lotions or creams. Then powder over the creams. That is a double precaution. Third, carry a parasol. They're chic now and they protect your face.

If your freckles are already very plain to see, then get one of the bleaching creams, or freckle creams, and use it assiduously. Bleaching stimulants should be added to your beauty shelf. And follow directions on every single bottle or jar you buy! After you start bleaching, then be doubly sure that you cream and powder before starting out.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Joan Crawford and Gary Cooper are co-starred for the first time in "To-day We Live" which is showing this week at the Queen's Theatre as a filmization of a new story by the noted writer, William Faulkner. The picture is said to give Miss Crawford brilliant opportunities as the young English girl who struggles desperately to win a chance for love amid the turmoil of the World War. The three men with whom her life is entangled are Cooper as the American aviator, Robert Young as the childhood sweetheart who wins her for a few brief days during the hysteria of life in a billet town, and Franchot Tone, the New York stage star, who makes his first film appearance in "To-day We Live" as Miss Crawford's brother. The cast also includes Rosco Karns, Louise Closser Hale, Rollo Lloyd and Hilda Vaughn under the direction of Howard Hawks, who produced "Scarface."

"Pleasure Cruise"

"Pleasure Cruise", a gay romantic comedy centring about a young wife's adventures during a marriage holiday, started an engagement yesterday at the King's Theatre, with Genevieve Tobin and Roland Young playing the leading roles.

Previously scheduled as Miss Tobin's first contract, "Pleasure Cruise" was postponed to allow the blonde actress to carry the feminine lead in "The Infernal Machine".

As its principal setting, the picture has one of those luxury liners which specialize in vacation cruises on the high seas.

Romantic complications in an environment made to order for love affairs and intrigues, form the basis of the story plot.

The cast in support of Miss Tobin and Young is a notable one that includes Ralph Forbes, Una O'Connor, Herbert Mundin, Minna Gombell, Theodore von Eltz, Frank Atkinson, Robert Greig, and Arthur Hoyt. "Pleasure Cruise" is from the studios of Fox Film.

"The Jungle Killer"

Ask a friend what the most dangerous animals in Africa is and the invariable answer will be "The Lion" —but according to Carveth Wells, described by Lowell Thomas as "the gay blade of exploration" who does the descriptive talking in "The Jungle Killer" the Century Production now showing at the Central Theatre the lion is not dangerous until made so by man. The lion is certainly not nearly so dangerous as an almost invisible little bug, the jigger.

The jigger is a tiny flea which burrows into the toes and under the fingernails of unfortunate travellers, sweling the flesh to the extent where sometimes toes and fingers drop off. And strangely enough, according to Mr. Wells, this most dangerous African pest is not a native of the country at all. It was brought there from tropical America.

Carveth Wells will throw red pepper into the faces of African lions, but he maintains a great respect for the insignificent jigger.

"My Wife's Family"

Monty Banks took his company "up the garden path" for film purposes when he directed the B.I.P. production, "My Wife's Family."

In a country garden setting Elstree's Art department surpassed its previous studio horticultural efforts with artistic ingenuity. Trim green lawns, intersected by crazy paving, form an elegant design round a central arrangement of flower beds. These were composed of real soil in which a fine show of blooming geraniums and rose trees were planted. A rockery blazing with blossoms and overgrown with creeping nasturtiums surrounded an ornamental pool in which ducks disported themselves with much preening of feathers and loud quacks.

A rustic summerhouse with "roses round the door" and thatched roof, is the chief feature of the film's background, and is finally blown up with its sole occupant, a baby grand. Enclosing the garden on three sides was a fine box hedge, trimmed into archways ten feet in height, while the fourth wall is of brick shaded by leafy trees.

This beautiful garden is the setting for hilarious happenings which all picturegoers will appreciate when "My Wife's Family" is presented at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday.

"Born Lucky"

Life backstage and in the servants' quarters is amusingly compared and contrasted in "Born Lucky", Westminster Film Production's film version of Oliver Sandy's novel "Mops", which is being released by the British Film Distribution Co., Ltd. at the King's Theatre on Wednesday. Michael Powel, the director, follows the career of his heroine from a cheap music hall to the West End of London via a domestic situation in the house of an aristocratic Dowager. "Born Lucky"—marks the film debut of the well-known singer Talbot O'Farrell. Rene Ray and John Longden head the supporting cast which includes Ben Welden, Helen Ferrers and Barbara Gott.

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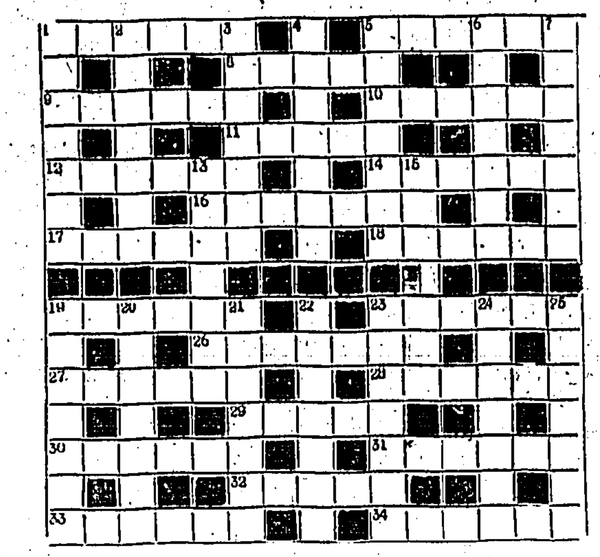
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A partial eclipse of the sun will be visible in Hongkong between 12.47 and 3.27 this afternoon, the greatest phase occurring at 2.11 p.m.

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The Eclipse will end at 08.45 G.M.T. in Long. 134.21 East Lat. 22.16 South.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

1 A town that's half a motto word and has a make of car inside it.
5 This keeper of accounts would be less contaminated if he lost a shilling.
8 In a measure we like a place in Surrey.
9 A European country.
10 A lady in Shakespeare.
11 A picturesque town in Spain.
12 Steeps.
14 Having swallowed a lot; it's none too refinedly intoxicated.
16 Say lint and get the arrangement altered.
17 In a regular manner.
18 Gnaws away.
19 Harmony, and appropriately like a bit of music.
23 A famous Roman conqueror.
26 One in U.S.S.R., one in U.S.A.
27 A man in 19 Across obviously performs this variation of friction-reducing.
28 Sometimes described as steely, and if you behead it, there's an obvious reason.
29 A foreign town in an altered sense.
30 Man's name.
31 If you see Ada round about Woolwich, it suggests Philip of Spain.
32 Can be bought but never across the counter.
33 American.
34 Weekly periodical.

Down

1 A bad beginning to a plunge gives you Asiatic isles.
2 When it isn't incapable, it's distinguished.
3 From the draping of the hay round the cars, it looks rather like the March Hare, but that's only gossip!
4 The part-author of "Milestones."
5 Can be easily influenced, and it's only when it loses its head that it becomes responsible.
6 Seen with a mixed eight between bow and stern.
7 Ross man (Anagram).
13 N.
15 Poetically emotional.
19 Loving a party ends all.
20 This is worse than dead, though it sounds like an invitation to flirt.
21 Severed, but joined together in another way.
22 Position in which the nose is fairly near the muzzle.
23 A Royal Corps.
24 Proverbially flat.
25 Cow.

Saturday's Solution.

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BIG WAR LOSS

HUANG FU TELLS OF SUFFERING

Shanghai, Aug. 19.

General Huang Fu, Chairman of the Peking Political Council, arrived in Shanghai from Nanking at 8 a.m. to-day.

Interviewed by *Reuter*, General Huang said Hopei Province had suffered enormously in the recent fighting. The area affected was forty times larger than in the Shanghai hostilities last year. He added that the authorities were now concentrating their efforts for the relief of the war sufferers, but stated this could not be accomplished for several months.

General Huang Fu is leaving for Mokanshan shortly, before returning to Peking.—*Reuter.*

CHARHAR CONFERENCE.

Feng's Supporters Called To Kalgan Parley.

MILITARY REORGANISATION.

Peking, Aug. 19.

Sung Chen-yuan, Chairman of Charhar, is returning to Kalgan to-morrow and, as soon as he has arrived, will call a conference with Fang Chen-wu, Sun Liang-cheng, Chang Yun-yung and Chi Hung-chang, all subordinates of General Feng Yu-hsiang.

Sung Cheh-yuan states that his latest information is that the Manchukuo troops which occupied Dolonor recently, are not advancing further.

In reorganising the military affairs of Charhar, General Sung will have the assistance of Chiang Po-cheng, resident representative of General Chiang Kai-shek.—*Reuter.*

Visiting Feng.

Nanking, Aug. 19.

It is learnt that Mr. Sun Fo arrived at Taian at midnight, en route for the sacred mountain of Taishan, to persuade General Feng Yu-hsiang to visit Nanking.—*Reuter.*

CIVIL WAR ENDS.

General Liu's Troops In Full Retreat.

Shanghai, Aug. 20.

General Liu Hsiang has received a telegram from Szechuan, reporting that General Liu Wen-huei's troops are in full retreat to Sikang, marking the conclusion of the civil war in that province.

General Liu Hsiang is assuming office as commander of the Communist suppression troops in Szechuan in the near future.—*Reuter.*

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RASPUTIN AND THE EMPRESS

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In our last instalment, Prince Paul, banished for reasons of state for the murder of Rasputin, had warned the Tsar of a coming revolution, crying out: "Save yourselves!"

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER SIXTEEN

After Paul and Natasha had left Russia for England, the Revolution of which Paul had warned the Royal family was not long in coming to a head. The murder of Rasputin, whom the peasants looked upon as their representative at court, no matter how wrongly, and general dissatisfaction with the war stirred up, the masses to revolt. First came the ineffectual Kerensky and his Provisional Government, and following him the Bolsheviki and the Terror!

Immediately upon abdicating the throne, Nicholas II and his family had been placed under arrest in their palace of Tsarskoe Selo. When the Bolshevists took over the reins of government, they had been moved to Siberia, to the same district of Tobolsk from which Rasputin had come. Here they were guarded more closely, their guard under the command of General Koli.

One day he sent orders to his subordinates to prepare the Imperial family for removal to another prison. In the early evening he went to see if his orders had been carried out.

"Attention!" he shouted.

The men looked up. There was a grumbling, half-hearted coming to their feet. Some reached for their rifles, leaning up against the wall.

Koli crossed to two officers who had been playing cards on an ammunition box, and who had come to their feet in a more military fashion than their fellow men. He glared at some soldiers.

"General . . ." Karpov, the senior of the two, said, saluting.

"Well, Karpov, what are we waiting for?" Koli asked angrily.

"They're getting ready, General. They were only told at seven," Karpov informed him.

"Well, get them started!" he said, starting for the Tsar's quarters. "Do you know the White Army's five hours from here and coming fast, and that the British have a squadron at Kronstadt, threatening to blow up the place if we don't let them go?"

"Do they know where we're taking them?" Koli asked.

"She does. Intuition, I guess."

"What makes you think so?"

"She asked me to tell the Tsar we were going to Moscow—for his safety."

"He'll never see Moscow again—or Petersburg, either."

They were at the door of the Tsar's study. Koli flung it open and stopped.

A couple of undisciplined guards got up uneasily from the long sofa. One of them saluted.

The Tsar looked up quietly. He had been standing at his desk, leaning over a Bible, from which he had been reading. There was a short pause. With quiet dignity he went on reading, while the belligerent general receded somewhat before the Empress's steady look.

There was an extremely intimate grouping of the family about the desk, on which was piled all the family possessions——the pathetic bundles having an Ellis Island look. Among them was a covered bird cage, Maria's.

The Tsar read on from the Bible to his family.

"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures. He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death. . . ."

First Koli, then Karpov removed their caps. At the last words the Tsaritsa had moved a little closer, looked a little more protectingly at the Tsar.

"We are ready," the Tsar said finally, closing the Bible.

"Is that all you're taking?" Koli said, self-consciously, looking at the desk.

"Yes," said the Tsaritsa, giving him a warning look. She began to pick up her things.

"Please come on." Koli said impatiently.

Turning to the children, the Tsaritsa said:

"Come on, my brood. Are you dressed warmly?"

"Yes, mammuschka," Aloysha answered.

The Tsaritsa looked around for the Tsar, who had remained at the desk, adding a dossier to his effects.

"Nicky . . ." she said, stopping.

"Yes, darling . . . I forgot this," he said, a little excited.

He handed the dossier to Koli.

"What's that?" Koli asked suspiciously.

"All the reforms ever proposed for Russia in the last ten years——some of them are bad——some excellent. Even your revolutionary ideas are there."

"I was thinking that if you could get this to some of the people in the government—the sincere people——there must be many of them ——well, it might save them tragic mistakes. All the needs of Russia are so clearly outlined there——they might find a bridge between revolution and the kind of government they're after."

"I guess we can get on without any suggestions from you," Koli said, tossing the dossier to the couch.

"You will, yes. I was thinking of Russia. Well, Alix?"

She stood looking back into the room.

"Come on, come on," Koli said, now in the corridor.

"A last look?" the Tsaritsa said graciously to Koli. "This room is such an old friend."

She looked for an instant, as they waited impatiently in the corridor. The room was cleared of all save her. She stood on the threshhold and spoke to the room.

"Good-bye."

They walked down the long corridor, past the line of Mongol soldiers.

In the courtyard another group of men were drawn up in rude formation, a mixed command of soldiers and sailors. When the Imperial family came out into the courtyard, they were amazed to see that no conveyance was there to take them to the station.

The Tsar turned to Koli to inquire about this, but the renegade officer cut him short.

"What do I want with them?"

"Put down those bundles," he ordered.

This was done. Hardly had they straightened up than a brisk order rang through the courtyard:

"Aim!"

The rifles and revolvers of the motley group of soldiers are aimed at the Imperial party. A little cry of terror escaped the children. The Empress gathered them about her, while the Tsar, drawing himself to attention, made the sign of the cross.

"Fire!"

The shots rang out. The leaden hail of bullets beat about them. They fell.

Koli gave the order to cease firing and stepped forward to examine the effects of his work. They were all dead. As he straightened up from his examination of the bodies, he shook his head. For a moment it had seemed to him that he had heard far-away music and that he had recognized the tune as the Imperial anthem: "God save our Little Father, the White Tsar."

He shook his head. A good Communist, a good party man, could not afford to harbour such notions.

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In a dug-out in the trenches back of Ypres, Lieutenant Paul Chegodieff of the British army, was hunched over in the darkness, his eyes on the radium painted dial of his wrist watch. A whistle was in his mouth. As the minute hand came up to the appointed minute, he blew a long blast on his whistle, scuttled out of the low doorway and flung himself over the parapet of the trench. To right and left of him in the darkness, he could hear the Cockney soldiers of his platoon, shouting and cursing as they scaled the parapet and began wading through the barbed wire, their rifles at high port.

A spurt of machine gun fire beat against the darkness. Two bullets found their way to Paul. He fell. Losing consciousness as a burly Yorkshire man picked him up and threw him over his shoulder, he cried out:

"For the White Tsar! For Holy Russia Forward!"

"Balmy," the Yorkshire man commented, "all balmy."

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Long, lost days followed at the base hospital. Then another hospital, convalescence, and the painful task of learning to walk with a wooden leg. But these days were lightened by long letters from Natasha.

Finally the day came when he went back to Natasha in a little apartment in Soho Square.

"Poor darling—poor darling," she murmured as she took him in her arms.

"The Imperial family is dead," Paul said dully. "I could tell from the way Remezov spoke when I saw him that he was sure, that he even knew the manner of their death. He did not want to tell me. He feared to hurt me. But he would not have hurt me. I have steeled my hart to hear it."

Natasha embraced him comfortingly.

He went on:

"But Russia lives," he said. "Russia lives here in our hearts and will live with us so long as we live a useful and a happy life."

"It was the last command of the Tsar to you, Paul. He told you to seek happiness," she said.

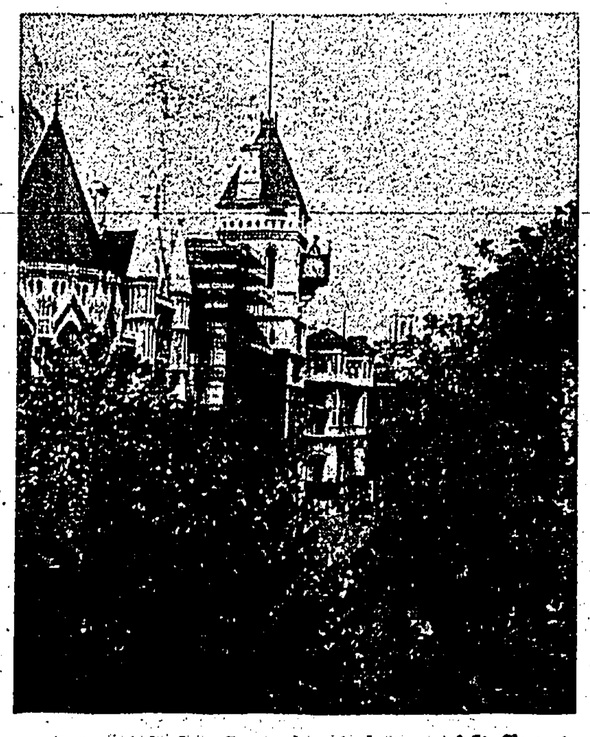
Pressing his cheek to hers, Paul whispered: "I have obeyed the Tsar. I have found happiness. I have you."

(*The End.*)



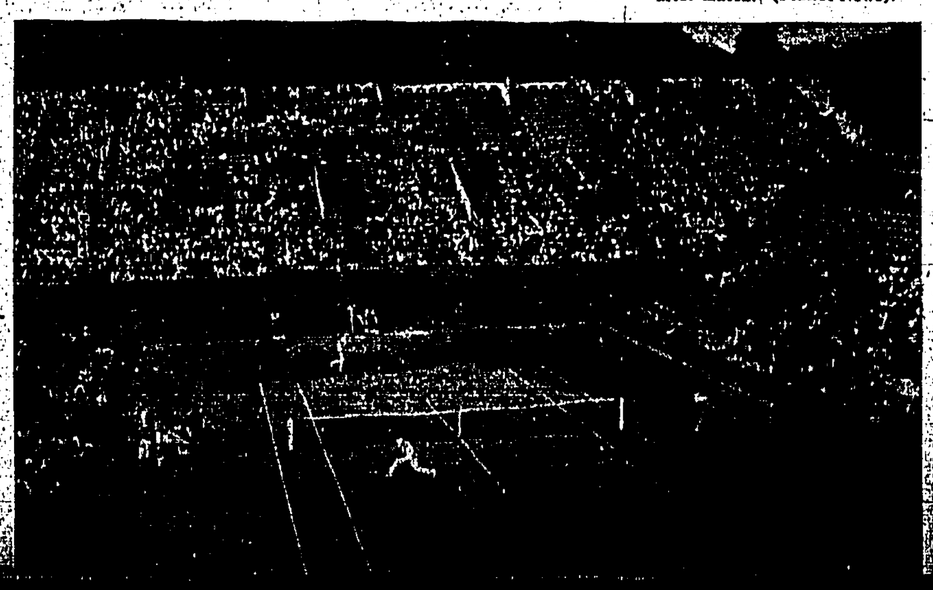
The Duke of Connaught chatting with officers of the 3rd Battalion Grenadier Guards when he inspected the Battalion at Aldershot. (Planet News).

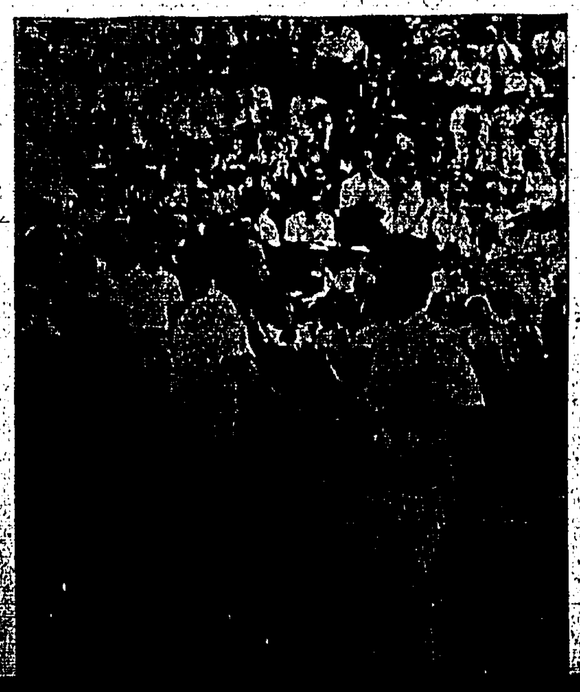


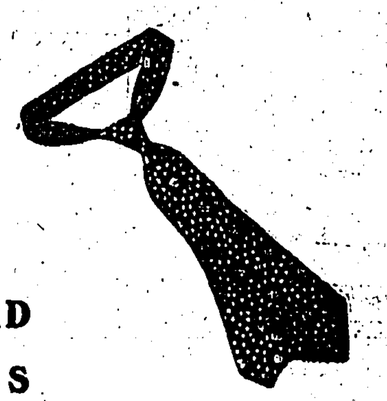


A view of the Law Courts through the trees of St. Clement Danes Church, Strand. The building is being renovated and is in "splints". (Planet News).

DAVIS CUP SCENES: Here are three photographs taken at the Inter-Zone Final of the Davis Cup between Britain and America. Above (left) Austin in play against Allison whom he beat to win tie for Britain. Below (left) a general view of the court at the Stade Roland Carros with Perry (white cap) playing Allison and (right) Allison and Austin shaking hands after match. (Planet News).







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BLONDES AND SUNBATHING

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But the blonde need not fear to expose her fairness to the sun in our climate. No harm will come to her if she bakes slowly and gently.

WAR AGAINST CANCER

AN ENCOURAGING REPORT

CAMPAIGN TO CONTINUE

London.

Year by year the war against cancer goes on. The silent struggle waged by white-coated doctors and scientists in the hospitals and laboratories of many countries of the Empire never ceases.

How long it will be before victory at last rests with mankind, no one can say.

But the conclusion that the "front" in this anti-disease war is slowly being pushed forward is one that can be drawn from the tenth annual report of the British Empire Cancer Campaign.

There is a note of qualified optimism in the report for the year given by Lord Reading, Chairman of the Grand Council.

"Our knowledge of both the cause and treatment of cancer is increasing rapidly," he declares, "and great strides have been made since the inception of the campaign."

It is also cheering to hear that Lord Reading reports that, inspite of bad times, none of the important research work has been handicapped for want of money.

ANTI-SERUM EXPERIMENT.

One of the most important matters dealt with in the tenth annual report is, of course, the experiment in the use of anti-serum in the treatment of cancer which its author, Dr. Thomas Lumsden, Honorary Director of the Cancer Research Laboratory at the London Hospital, describes as the "final and crucial test" to ten years of research.

Twenty-five cancer victims whose condition is hopeless from the point of view of existing methods have voluntarily placed themselves under the anti-serum treatment.

"It is not considered expedient at this early stage to publish even the provisional conclusions arrived at by the author and by the surgeons who attended the treated cases," Dr. Lumsden states.

He adds this significant comment:—

"It can only be said that the results are considered to justify further and intensive investigation along the lines of research referred to, and the Campaign has generously provided the funds to make the extension of the author's researches possible."

ENCOURAGING RESULTS.

Lord Reading, too, speaks of these experiments in his report. "The results at present," he says, "are too few to afford any real grounds for assuming that this anti-serum will prove to be a substitute for the present methods of treating cancer or that it will really be effectual.

"All that can be said is that the results so far have been encouraging and that at all events a temporary benefit has resulted in several of the cases treated.

"A great deal more work was still to be done before the treatment can be in any sense standardised or made available for general use."

Dr. Lumsden, in the dramatic story of his ten years' task, describes how in 1925 it was first shown that anti-sera could be produced which were capable of destroying cancer cells.

PROGRESS.

The first attempts to cure an animal by injecting the anti-serum failed, but by 1932 it was possible to record that mice could be cured in a large percentage of cases.

"The mice so cured were in future immune to cancer," he adds. "Some of these mice are still living and have now been free from recurrence for nearly a year, i.e. a period equivalent to something like 30 or 40 years in man.

"The results gradually but progressively attained, and all step by step confirming the hypothesis upon which ten years ago this research was based, made it justifiable and expedient at last to apply the final and crucial test and ascertain whether comparable results could be achieved in man or not."—*Reuter.*

SCENE IN ST. PAUL'S

NOVELIST SHOUTS DOWN BISHOP

SLUM PROTEST

London.

Miss Joan Conquest, the novelist, was led out of St. Paul's Cathedral recently after creating a scene during the sermon.

Jumping up from her seat in the second row, she shouted, "I want to protest about slum clearance!" and brandished a yellow-covered book on high.

Walking to a space before the pulpit, she cried "I protest, my Lord, I protest!"—The preacher, the Bishop of Winchester, took no notice and went on with his sermon.

Miss Conquest then flung the book on the floor shouting, "This book, a challenge to civilisation and Christianity, demands that the Church of England take up the cause of the degraded mass of the slums!"

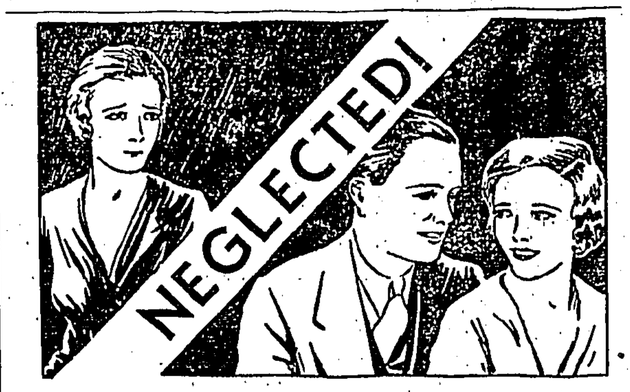
Vergers rushed forward and escorted her from the Cathedral.

The yellow-covered book was one of her own works on the slum problem and was afterwards handed to the Bishop. Incidentally, he has always been an advocate of slum clearance schemes.

Dr. Marie Stopes, always tilting at the Roman Catholic Church on the subject of birth control, has chained a copy of her book "Roman Catholic Methods of Birth Control" to a railing near the font of the Catholic Westminster Cathedral in London.

In an interview, she said: "I chained it near their own bookstall and in as convenient a spot as possible in order that the poor people can read it. It is an old English custom to chain a book so that all can read it. If I had not chained it, the first person coming along would have taken it away."

So far no action has been taken. —*Reuter.*



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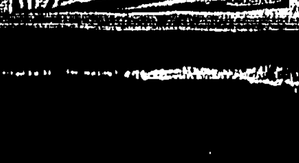
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East Asia, $101 b.
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. $20 n.
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Insurances.

Canton Ins., $325 n.
Union Ins., $567½ b.
China Underwriters, $1.80 b.
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International Assce. Sh. $6¼ n.

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Union Waterboats, $15 n.

Mining.

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Humphreys, $14 n.
H.K. Realties, $7.90 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. $140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. $20 n.
Chinese Estates $97 n.
China Realties, Sh. $15 n.
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China Lights (old), $12.70 n.
China Lights (new), $12.35 n.
H.K. Electrics, $74½ b.
Macao Electrics, $23 n.
Sandakan Lights, $10½ n.
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China Buses, Sh. $11¼ n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- b.
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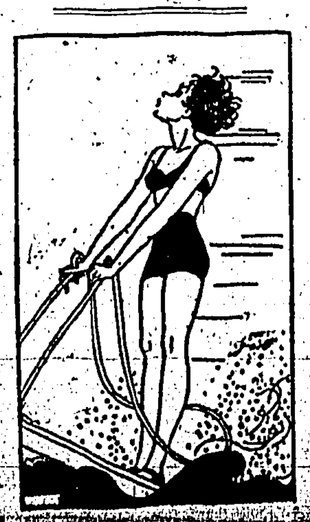
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Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi	August 25.
Straits	Penang Maru	August 26.
Shanghai	Aeneas	August 28.
Straits	Agapenor	August 28.
Japan	Calcutta Maru	August 28.
Japan	Genoa Maru	August 28.
Shanghai	Andre Lebon	August 29.
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Straits	Tango Maru	August 29.
Shanghai	Rhesus	August 30.
Japan	Tanda	August 30.
Japan	Santhia	August 31.
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U.S.A., Canada Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 12th August)	Pres. Jefferson	September 1.

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Monday.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Straits and Calcutta	Sulsang	Mon., Aug. 21.
Parcels Aug. 21, 1 p.m.	Letters	Aug. 21, 2 p.m.

Tuesday.

*Manila, Makasser and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Tues., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
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*Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, 2nd Sept.)	Changte	Tues., Aug. 22.
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	Reg., ...	Aug. 22, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters, ..	Aug. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Aug. 22, 3 p.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Tues., Aug. 22, 4.30 p.m.

Wednesday.

Foochow via Swatow	Hoihow	Wed., Aug. 23, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Aug. 23, 3.30 p.m.

Friday.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. (Due Vancouver B.C., 11th Sept.)	Empress of Asia	Fri., Aug. 25.
	Parcels, ...	Aug. 24, 5 p.m.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 25, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters, ...	Aug. 25, 10 a.m.
Hoihow	Kingyuan ..	Fri., Aug. 25, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Aug. 25, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C., and *Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C., 12th Sept.)	President Jackson	Fri., Aug. 25.
	Parcels, ...	Aug. 25, 3 p.m.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 25, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters, ..	Aug. 25, 5 p.m.

Saturday.

Japan, Canada, U.S.A., *Central and *South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C. (Due Victoria B.C., 18th Sept.)	Tantalus	Sat., Aug. 26.
	Parcels, ...	Aug. 25, 5 p.m.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 26, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters, ...	Aug. 26, 10 a.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Ranchi	Sat., August 26.

K. P. O. — G. P. O.
Reg., ... Aug. 25, 4.30 p.m. — Reg., ... Aug. 25 5 p.m.
Letters, ... Aug. 25, 5 p.m. — Letters, ... Aug. 26, 9 a.m.

Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, 7th Sept.)	Kitano Maru	Sat., Aug. 26.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 26, 8.45 a.m.
	Letters, ...	Aug. 26, 9.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranchi	Sat., Aug. 26, (Due Marseilles, 22nd September).

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Parcels, ... Aug. 25, 4.30 p.m. — Parcels, ... Aug. 25, 5 p.m.
Reg., ... Aug. 26, 9 a.m. — Reg., ... Aug. 26, 9.45 a.m.
Letters Aug. 26, 10 a.m. — Letters Aug. 26, 10.30 a.m.

Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 26, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia	General Sherman	Sat., Aug. 26,
	Reg., ...	Aug. 26, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters, ...	Aug. 26, 5 p.m.
	(Due San Francisco, 18th September).	

Tuesday.

Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Andre Lebon	Tues., Aug 29.

K.P.O. — G.P.O.
Reg., ... Aug. 29, Noon. — Reg., ... Aug. 29, 12.30 p.m.
Letters, ... Aug. 29, Noon. — Letters, ... Aug. 29, 1 p.m.

Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Tonkin	Tues., Aug. 29, 1 p.m.
Shanghai	Felix Roussel ..	Tues., Aug. 29, 2 p.m.
Straits and *Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 30th September).	Aeneas	Tues., Aug 29,

Kowloon P.O. — G.P.O.
Reg., ... Aug. 29, 1 p.m. — Reg., ... Aug. 29, 1.15 p.m.
Letters, ... Aug. 29, 1 p.m. — Letters, ... Aug. 29, 2 p.m.

Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Tues., Aug. 29
	(Due Marseilles, 29th September).	

Kowloon P.O. — G.P.O.
Reg., ... Aug. 29, 1 p.m. — Reg., ... Aug. 29, 1.45 p.m.
Letters, ... Aug. 29, 1 p.m. — Letters, ... Aug. 29, 2.30 p.m.

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PROMINENT SOLDIER PASSES AWAY

BRIG. GEN. P. D. FITZGERALD.

London, Aug. 20.

The death has occurred of Brig-Gen. Percy Desmond Fitzgerald, D.S.O., a notable soldier and an Officer of the Legion of Honour.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

The late Brig. Gen. Fitzgerald joined the 11th. (P.A.O.) Hussars in 1893, was gazetted Lieutenant three years later, and in 1915 was a General Staff Officer, 1st. Grade, retiring in 1920.

He saw service in the South African War, 1899-1900 was mentioned in despatches four times and awarded the D.S.O. During the European War, he served in France and Palestine. He was mentioned in despatches and was

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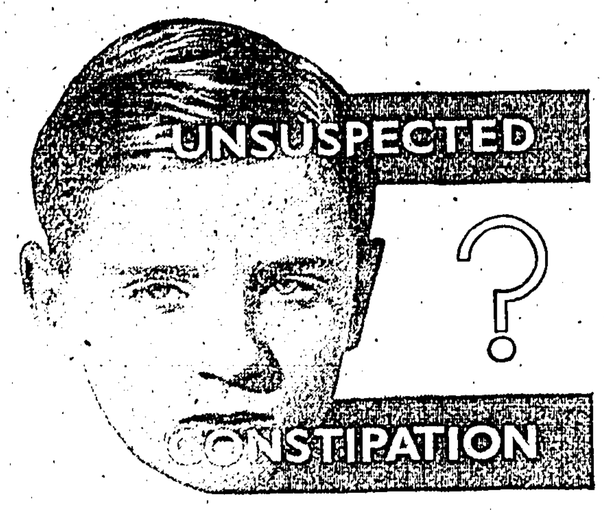
SOVIET FINANCIAL EXPERT LEAVES FOR TOKYO

Moscow, Aug. 20.

M. Baryshnikov, a member of the Board of the Soviet State Bank, has been appointed financial expert to the Soviet Delegation for the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

M. Baryshnikov left for Tokyo to join the delegation yesterday. —*Reuter.*

In 1914 he married Millicent, Duchess of Sutherland, but the marriage was annulled in 1919. The Duchess was the widow of the 4th. Duke of Sutherland, and after the annulment she married [illegible]



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London.

For ten years now the proprietor of a Chinese restaurant in Buckingham Street here, Mr. Tamaru Sin, has viewed the customs and tastes of "Westerners." In his quiet way he still walks up and down keeping an eye on his English clients and is always ready to proffer advice as to the choice of Dishes.

"I find you Englanders apt to treat Chinese cooking as a curiosity," he said to a Reuter's Correspondent when questioned about his ten years' experience. "First my clients start by asking for bird's nest soup, followed by shark's fin or the usual chop suey.

"But after a while they realise that our cooking has as many varieties and subleties as yours, and they begin to be particular in choosing what foods they combine. Many of my English clients have as good a knowledge of my menu as the Chinese and Indian students who come from the London School of Economics every day."

A CRITICISM.

"If I have to criticise the Westerner for anything, it is that he does not eat slowly enough. You are always thinking of something else that you have to do afterwards, so that you eat with a view of staving off hunger, rather than increasing your health and refining your palate.

"Many of my Chinese and Indian clients make a habit of calling for lunch on Saturdays, when they have no work in the afternoon, so that they have no need to hurry their meal.

"My life has not changed much while I have been here. My fellow countrymen usually find their way here soon after their arrival, make themselves quickly at home and leave again when their course of studies or their business stay is over.

"My English clients come more seldom, but there are many of them who have eaten here since I first took over."

When asked whether he intended eventually to revisit his own country, Mr. Sin replied:

"I do not know. There are two forces that sway a man..... familiarity and memory. I might feel strange if I went back to Hongkong, but I may all the same."—*Reuter.*

FIRE CONSPIRACY

SIXTEEN DEFENDANTS SENTENCED

London, Aug. 20.

There were dramatic scenes at the conclusion of the fire conspiracy trial at the Old Bailey, when sentences varying from four months imprisonment for minor defendants and 14 years penal servitude in the case of the leader, Leopold Harris, were passed.

The screams and sobs of women relatives of the prisoners greeted the announcement of the sentences by Mr. Justice Humphreys.

One of the prisoners, William Herivel, a silk merchant aged 69 years, fainted in the dock when a sentence of eighteen months imprisonment was passed upon him.

The sentences total fifty-one years. Leopold Harris, who was the prime mover in the conspiracy, was sentenced to the maximum penalty for arson under the English criminal code.

The chief prosecuting Counsel revealed before sentences were passed that approximately £270,000 was involved in the claims which were the subject of the indictment.

Of this total, claims amounting to no less than £110,000 were repudiated by the insurance companies.—*Reuter.*

The trial, which is estimated to have cost £50,000, the fees of one counsel amounting to more than £5,000, set a new record for Old Bailey.

The trial opened in June, and has lasted for 6½ weeks.

U.S. PROHIBITION

OVERWHELMING WET VOTE BY MISSOURI

St. Louis, Aug. 20.

Missouri has voted overwhelmingly for the repeal of prohibition. Even the hitherto dry rural sections of the State voted "wet".

Of the 48 States comprising the Union, twenty-two have now voted in favour of the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution.—*Reuter.*

MAKING BOYS REST

AN INTERESTING EXPERIMENT

BY HEADMASTER

London.

Mr. Maurice L. Jacks, headmaster of Mill Hill School, London, is making his pupils sit still for 30 minutes every day after lunch.

"One or two very active boys disliked the rule when it was first introduced," Mr. Jacks explained. "They would have preferred to be playing games, but now I think the rest period has become quite popular with the majority of the boys. Not only do they enjoy it, but they feel much better after it, and are less tired in the afternoon.

"The idea was my own," he said. "It seemed to me that the boys who spent so much of the day running about would benefit by a period of rest after their mid-day meal, and so I introduced a rule to this effect at the beginning of the year."

FIRST RESULT.

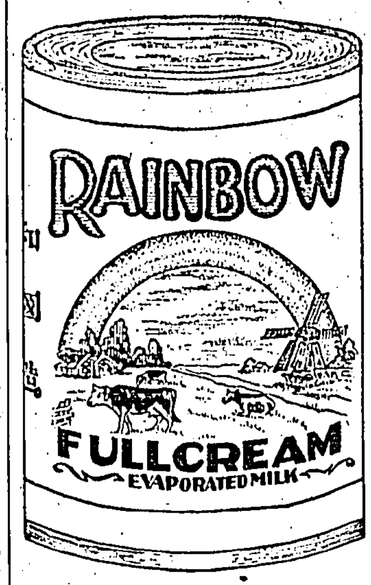
"Though it is early to say yet just how much benefit they have derived from it, the school as a whole put on more weight in the Easter term than during the previous Christmas term before the rule was introduced."

Headmasters in all parts of the country are watching the experiment with interest.

Mr. J. F. M. Ellis Secretary of Education Committee of the National Union of Teachers said the whole question of fatigue and rest among school-children was one which needed expert and careful consideration, although a great deal of research had already been accomplished on these lines.

"We want to know a great deal more about fatigue and this experiment of Mr. Jacks' will not only prove interesting to the heads of public schools, but will interest those working in the elementary schools as well," he added.—*Reuter.*

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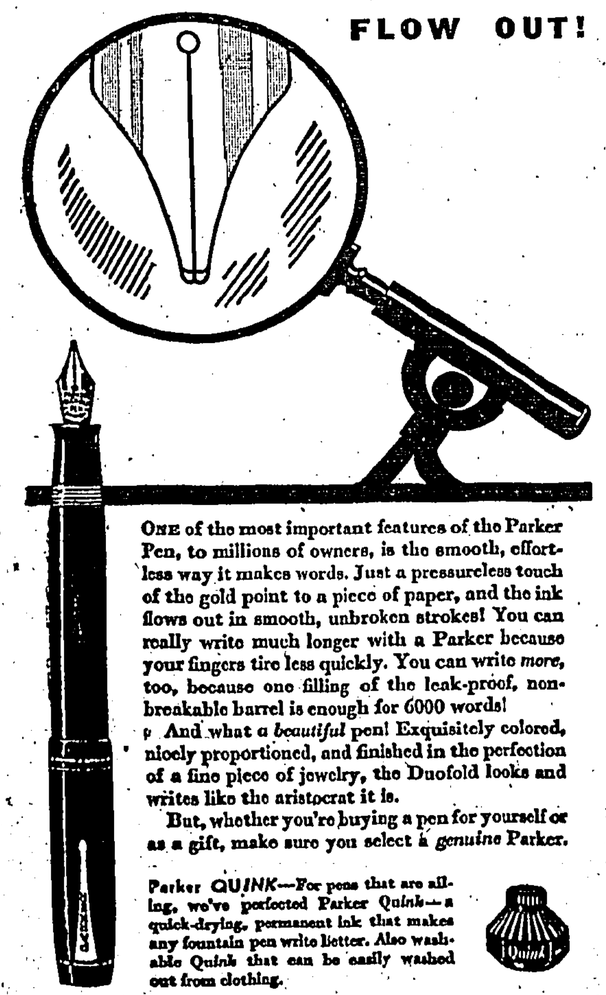
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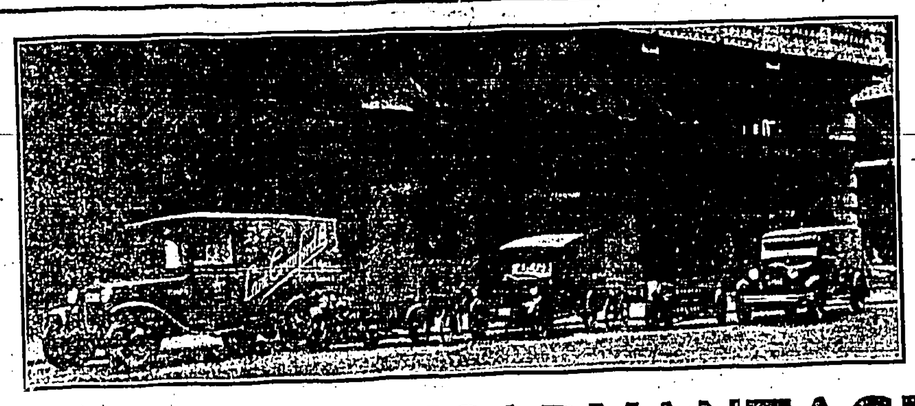
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SHANGHAI ALARMED

The anxieties roused in Shanghai by the proposal to convert it into a gathering ground of notabilities and notorieties planning to hold a crusade against "Imperialism" under the description of an Anti-War Conference will not have been relieved by the tone if the interview granted by Lord Marley upon his arrival. It was probably inevitable that a Labour Peer shoud talk of workers presenting a united front against Imperialism, but when this is accompanied by a Communist demonstration of welcome, the reactions of Shanghai's die-hards can well be imagined. One of the leading journals pertinently asks whether Lord Marley had any idea of this aspect of his adventure into the Far East, adding that after making due allowance for the virtue of tolerance and the merits of a liberal attitude, the pleasure of Shanghai's welcome must be tempered by the discomfort of picturing the visitors in full rapport with those sinister influences which have so jeopardised the progress of the new China. There is obviously a danger in shutting an eye to the subversive tendencies of a movement just because some of its better known patrons come within Mr. Michael Arlen's category of "these charming people." Charm, respectability and absence of intention to defraud do not save the amiable "guinea pig" from conviction if the company with which he is connected turns out to be fraudulent. Because Herr Hitler has galvanised Germany into an admirable expression of disciplined patriotism, it is foolish to overlook the plain consequences of less atractive features of the Nazi regime. In opposite camps these two tendencies—"left wing" and "right-wing" may be their labels—display similar disregard of proportion and, be it added, a similar faith in theatricality, allied to dependence on worn-out shibboleths. Thus this Conference in Shanghai is to inveigh against "imperialism." If, by any chance, the opportunity is to be taken to stage a condemnation of the policy of certain nations—Japan for example—then nothing can be more calculated to strengthen the Shanghai die-hard view that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of law and order should refuse hospitality to the gathering. It is strange indeed to find that a body of political theorists who include in their programme, apparently, a repudiation of Shanghai's right to exist, either as an International Settlement or as a French Concession, should have the effrontery to use the amenities of Shanghai for proceedings which would not be permitted in China [illegible] Power. This applies to

NOTES OF THE DAY

The restrictions placed upon the use of surf-boards at Repulse Bay are timely and necessary. Even in the hands of an expert, surf-boards moving about indiscriminately are disturbing to the peace and tranquillity of casual bathers, whether danger actually exists or not. New devotees to the sport must, of necessity, be more enthusiastic than adept, and, at the risk of discouraging the development of the new water game, the regulations had to come. In any case, Repulse Bay is the wrong beach entirely for surf-boarding, not only because it is always crowded, but because of its characteristics. The true sport, which is riding a board rushed into the shore upon the crest of a wave, cannot be developed there except under unusual conditions, and the alternative of paddling is, as far as thrills go, a poor substitute for the real thing. We suggest experiments at the less-frequented Big Wave Bay, where conditions are vastly superior and officialdom would not need to step in.

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CRICKET CHAMPIONS

Yorkshire have won the county cricket championship for the seventeenth time in 37 years, and it is slowly being borne on the mind of the public that this is becoming inevitable. Yorkshire retained the honours with far greater ease than they were won last summer, and this in face of what the critics suggested would be stronger opposition. It is a magnificent achievement enhanced by the fact that Yorkshire have not rested content with being just "dour cricketers." They have played their part in brightening up the game and in so doing, have discounted the popular belief that the team cannot play care-free cricket and win at the same time. Yorkshire owe a great deal to Hedley Verity, who, even on cast-iron wickets, bowled with sufficient skill to trundle out teams on his own. Bowes too has played a noble part.

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A NAME COMEDY

In Warsaw, a man named Moses Hitler has been permitted to change his name because a fanatical inn-keeper refused to give him lodgings, because his ten-year-old had been made a laughing-stock in school and because his elder son had been jilted by his fiancee, who had been unable to face the prospect of becoming Mrs. Hitler. In Germany, enthusiastic Nazi parents who are anxious to christen their sons Hitler or their daughters Hitlerine are being discouraged. Officials have been instructed to propose alternative names. If a parent persists in his choice of Hitler, a report is to be sent to the Minister. What will happen then is not revealed.

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WHEAT PROBLEM

Twenty-seven wheat exporting and importing countries are meeting in London to-day to discuss wheat control and it is inferred that the Big Four have reached an agreement. What this agreement really means it is difficult to appreciate. It involves an adjustment of production and trade to world demand. It is an agreement "in principle." It is temporary. It does not include Russia. And it depends upon the co-operation of Europe. The co-operation demanded of Europe is that the nations in that part of the world should buy more wheat. Is this possible unless there is some decline in domestic harvests? All the industrial nations have been devoting themselves with might and main to the development of home agriculture. Wheat especially has been the object of extraordinary solicitude. No word has yet come from Britain, France, Germany, Belgium and so on, that will help to facilitate this accord "in principle." This is essential before one can hail such a loose arrangement as an accomplishment likely to lead to a 27-Power Pact.

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CONSUMPTION POWER

It will, of course, be agreed that the bent of world trade in the direction of government-handled business makes arrangements for the apportionment and control of markets more than ever necessary. Competition between private traders in world markets has often led to unfortunate international rivalries. But rival dumping by governments, such as might occur in the absence of an agreement even "in principle," would endanger world relations. At the same time, however, one would like to see some agreements for the development of consumption. The wheat pact seems to endorse the theory that the whole trouble is overproduction. In point of fact, to quote the governor of the Imperial Bank of India, in his last annual report, "one can scarcely agree that there is any overproduction in regard to requirements, but there is certainly overproduction relative to pur-

THIS MATRICULATION FETISH

SOMETHING FOR PARENTS AND EMPLOYERS TO THINK ABOUT

By Florence M. SURFLEET

It is undoubtedly a fact that the most careful consideration is given to the setting of questions for the various school leaving certificate examinations, but it is also true that the examination as a whole is by no means a suitable one for the vast majority of boys and girls who sit for it.

What is the reason? Are the regulations which govern the examinations responsible for the state of affairs? Is there something wrong with the syllabuses?

PENALISING THE MANY.

The answer to all these questions is this; The examination as now conducted is designed for the boy or girl who is intending to go on to a university, for each of the eight examining bodies for school certificate grants exemption from university entrance examinations to the candidate who fulfils certain conditions, and the majority of students attempt to obtain this exemption, which is known as Matriculation or its equivalent Matriculation exemption.

The number of pupils who actually benefit from this exemption is, of course, ridiculously small; a very small proportion of the scholars taking the examination ever enter a university. **Those who do not enter a university are penalised throughout their school course for the sake of the few who do.**

The subjects they study are dictated by the requirements of Matriculation, so that use is not made of the greater freedom allowed by the regulations governing school certificate examination.

Matriculation is naturally an academic type of examination. It is understandable that permission to enter a university can only be granted to those who have satisfied examiners that their academic education has been satisfactory and along certain specific lines.

It seems absurd that a boy (or girl) on leaving school should need to prove that he is eligible for entrance to university. It would seem more sensible if he could prove that he had satisfactorily completed his school course.

Obviously the two things are not necessarily identical, for a boy may take in his school leaving certificate subjects and combinations of subjects quite different from those required in Matriculation. He could obtain a School Leaving Certificate of a very high standard of merit, and yet fail to Matriculate.

The School Leaving Certificate is intended to allow of variations in different schools; it is meant to be the standard of attainment of the average child at 16; opportunity is given within it to any school for the making of individual syllabuses; there is some recognition of the value of arts and crafts in the education of the child, and opportunity for examination in these subjects.

Obviously such an examination is more suitable as a school leaving examination than Matriculation with its academic bias, and the preparation for such an examination undoubtedly gives a better all-round development to the child.

Then why is Matriculation almost universally accepted as the superior examination and the one required by business and professional men?

SET THE SCHOOLS FREE

The time has arrived when from every quarter is coming the plea for a separation of the two examinations: perhaps the most powerful to these is the one made by the Panel Investigators appointed by the Secondary School Examinations Council, whose report was published at the end of last year by His Majesty's Stationery Office.

Employers, parents, business and professional people would do a great service to education if they would no longer require Matriculation of the boy or girl leaving school.

They would thus set the school free to pursue the real task of education—that of helping each child to develop to this fullest stature, while following a curriculum suitable for his interests and for his stage of development.

Blondes And Sunbathing

BY DR. FREDERICK GRAVES

MANY people who are sunbronzing have been alarmed by the Queensland (Australia) Cancer Report, which utters a warning of "the danger of excesive sunburn as a cause of cancer of the skin, especially in dry places." The report advises that strong sunburn should be avoided, particularly in persons of blond complexion.

No one need wobble at the knees. The scourge of cancer may be caused by many things, but it is seriously questionable if the fiercest and most prolonged sunshine has ever alone set up sufficient of the peculiar irritation necessary to stimulate the formation of the actual cancer cell.

It may be that in some of the very dry and desert places of Central and Western Australia the long-continued action of the very strong sunrays, plus the irritant dryness of the air, and plus the friction of sand and dust, together with the scarcity of water and lack of the facilities for washing (for the skin needs moisture just as much as a plant does) may all contribute to one of the states that are, under any further irritation, liable to develop the scaly rashes that often end in cancer.

We know that the blonde, and, indeed all fair people, are most susceptible to the penetration of the rays, and consequently to harmful results from excessive exposure. The ultra-violet rays penetrate to our ganglia and cause certain changes in the body cells that are, on the whole, beneficial. But excess brings its retribution, and over-stimulus often has to be paid for.

We have only lately learnt that those invisible rays at the other

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The Very Idea !

THE BIG BROADCAST

By Eddie "Hitler" Kelly

INTERNATIONAL protest is not having the slightest effect on the Munich broadcasting station, which persists in Nazi propaganda against Austria.

Fears are entertained in diplomatic circles that the Austrians will be forced to defend themselves by counter wireless attacks.

And once that starts there's no knowing where it will end.

In a few months, we can expect something like this in the Hongkong newspapers:

PEAK RADIO ATTACK
Hint of Seizure of the Kowloon Coal Dump

The Peak Broadcasting station, despite the assurances given to the Kowloon Residents' Association, continues to lend itself to the dissemination of propaganda directed against Kowloon.

Herr von. Sheldon, one of the leaders of the Peak movement, declared in a virulent speech last night that the time had come to put Kowloon in its proper place.

"We on the Peak have more right to the coal dump than Kowloon," he said. "Kowloon does not suffer from the cold nearly as much as we do during the winter months.

"We are going to have that coal, even if we have to go down and carry it up the Peak, lump by lump," he concluded significantly.

His speech has caused a Colony-wide sensation.

"DOWN WITH THE PEAK"
Retaliatory Broadcast By the Kowloon Station

In a dramatic reply to the broadcast attack upon Kowloon by the leader of the Peak Nazi movement, Dr. Dolfuss ("Terrier") Terry, Kowloon leader, urged the Mid-Level residents to revolt against the tyrants.

"The Peak movement has kept you under them long enough," said Dr. Terry dramatically. "Strike at the heart of their movement. Once you seize the Peak Hotel, you will find that the whole fabric of the Peak tyranny will collapse."

Dr. Terry added that the Kowloon Residents' Association would defend the Coal Dump to the last lump.

RELAY FROM DAVENTRY
Peak Nazis Utilise Empire Station For Propaganda

As the result of a relay of Daventry from ZBW last night, the Kowloon Residents' Association has directed a protest to the Imperial Government, alleging discrimination by the B.B.C. in favour of the Peak.

The speech was made in London by Herr. J. W. Franks, Superintendent of Gaols, who is home on leave. In the course of his address, Herr Franks said that room would be found for all the Kowloon rebels when the time came to act.

"We are clearing the gaols as fast as we can," he said, "and 300 prisoners have already been released to make room for the Kowloonies."

"Discontent and rebellion must be put down with a firm hand," he concluded.

Herr Franks' speech was considerably interrupted by static, and by raspberries from the Kowloon station, which commenced broadcasting on the same wave-length as soon as the relay was announced.

ENVOYS MEET
Representatives Endeavour to Settle Trouble Amicably

Under the joint chairmanship of Robert MacWhirter, Edward Kelly and Major Cassel, representatives of the Peak and Kowloon factions met in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel this morning, in an effort to eliminate the tension that is growing on both sides of the harbour.

It is authoritatively learned that very little progress was made, the delegates contenting themselves with shouting at each other. Major Cassel also wanted to shout, so they all adjourned to the bar. As Robert MacWhirter wouldn't shout, and Edward Kelly couldn't shout, they were thrown out on their necks.

Subsequent events can only be gleaned from second-hand sources of information, but it is evident that a free fight ensued, nearly all the delegates coming out on stretchers. Those who could still stand leant on each other's shoulders, singing their respective anthems, "Freezer jolly cold feller" (Peak) and "Old King Coal" (Kowloon).

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
Strong Note Handed to Kowloon by Peak Ambassador

The Peak Ambassador yesterday called at the Peninsula Hotel and handed a Note to the Secretary of the Kowloon Residents' Association, informing him that if the Kowloon broadcasts did not stop, he would have no option but to demand that Article XV of the Foreshores Ordinance be invoked, and economic sanctions be applied in respect to the Kowloon cabarets.

It is not known what the Secretary

MEASURING THE NERVE

SOME RECENT EXPERIMENTS

THE NECESSITY OF STIMULUS

Chicago.

Experiments in "measuring" the proper functioning of nerves—as a thermometer registers temperature changes—were described to the American Association for the Advancement of Science at Chicago by Professor A. V. Hill, of London University.

Professor Hill explained that along the nerves there are weak points, where ability to transmit impulses to the brain fail, thus delaying the receipt of messages by the central switchboard to the brain. This comparison of the nervous system to a telegraph installation is closely accurate. For just as telegraph wires can transmit only certain number of messages at a time, so, too, the impulses which the nerves can carry are strictly limited. If the nerves are overloaded, "wire trouble" begins.

In his survey of the working of nerves, Professor Hill used a thermometer that registered a temperature change as small as two-millionths of a degree. With this instrument he found that nerves, like muscles, produce heat when stimulated to work.

ELECTRICAL STIMULI.

He therefore applied electrical stimuli to living nerves. He found that, if a strong stimulus was given at frequent intervals, the nerve continued to produce heat—but only up to a certain point. Too much stimulus resulted in a complete shut-down of the nerve's activity. When the nerve was given too much work to do, said Professor Hill, it became "inhibited" and inoperative.

It was at the same gathering that another paper of general interest was read. This was the address by Professor Ludwig Diels, of the University of Berlin, who disclosed some secrets of plant life.

He said that in the botanical world, as in the human world, were some members which exhibited "individual" traits and others which tended towards "Socialism."—In some plant societies the single specimen loses its identity in the interests of the community. As examples of co-operative growth, he instanced the dandelion, in which the individual flowers are compactly clustered. In others, such as the orchid, the single flower is paramount.—*Reuter.*

Moustaches Taboo in Andalusia

WOMEN OBJECT

Madrid.

The women of Andalusia do not like men with moustaches.

In Aznalcollar, known locally as "the village of moustaches," they have rebelled and are using all their wiles to persuade their menfolk to shave their upper lips.

Nearly every man in the village has a moustache of the good old-fashioned kind, covering a large part of the face.

The boys of the village rub their upper lips with bacon fat to make the hair grow.

But the women mean to change all that.—*Reuter.*

STORM TROOPERS & SCHOOLBOY

A COMEDY OF IGNORANCE

Berlin.

Nazi storm troopers arrested a 16-year-old Jewish schoolboy in the streets of a small Thuringian town, and took him to their barracks for "examination."

In his satchel, they found a document covered with hieroglyphics. They decided that it must be a secret report in Hebrew.

An expert was called. He discovered that the boy was only trying to learn shorthand.—*Reuter.*



Cadet D. E. Woods, of Nottingham University, winner of the King's Prize at Bisley, being chaired after his victory.

ISOLATION OF LEPROSY

SCIENTISTS' GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

Washington.

The scientists never cease their war on leprosy. Quietly and without spectacular publicity they work in their laboratories against this dread disease.

An advance in this "war" has been announced by the Edward Wood Memorial, of Washington, who state that the germ of leprosy has been isolated.

This has been done by Dr. Earl B. McKinley, dean of George Washington medical school, and Dr. Malcolm H. Soule of the University of Michigan. It is regarded as an important step forward, for scientists have been trying to isolate the leprosy germ for the past sixty years.

In 1872 a Norwegian bacteriologist discovered the germ believed to be responsible for the disease. It closely resembled that of tuberculosis. But the mere establishment that leprosy was a germ disease was of little value in its conquest until the germ could be taken into the laboratory and studied. This, it is claimed, can now be done.—*Reuter.*

What Makes A Blonde?

SCIENCE BELIEVES IT KNOWS

Chicago, Illinois.

What makes you tall or short, blonde or brunette, blue-eyed or brown-eyed? Probably it is a bundle of atoms known as a "molecule" which you inherited from your parents.

All characteristics which people derive from their parents are believed to be controlled by tiny particles known as "genes," and the theory that these genes are "molecules" or bundles of atoms was advanced before the American Association for the Advancement of Science recently.

"Genes," or combinations of them, are believed to control inheritance by being passed on from generation to generation through human cells. When a short man appears in a race of tall people, or a brunette turns up in a family that has been blonde for generations, it is believed to be caused by a change or "mutation" in the particular "genes" that control height or hair colour.—*Reuter.*

SPANK YOUR CHILD

SCIENCE APPROVES

Iowa City, Iowa.

The good sound spanking is approved by Dr. Esther Richards, Professor of psychiatry at Johns Hopkins University. She says that science has found no substitute for it.

"If you find that your child has scattered the contents of the ice box over the kitchen floor, give him a sound spanking," she said in addressing the Seventh Annual Conference of Child Welfare.

"There is no use" she added, "trying to reason with a small child. The child will listen because he has nothing better to do, but it is time wasted in telling him why he should not do a thing."—*Reuter.*



Primo Carnera, the new world's heavyweight boxing champion, dancing with chorus girls at the New York theatre where his is appearing.



"William Shakespeare" (Mr. Vernon Jones) photographing "Queen Elizabeth" (Mrs. Martin Lewis) at the Shakespearian Masque and Fayre held at Beckenham, Kent.



RADIO BROADCAST

6-8 p.m.
European programme of Columbia records.
6-6.25. p.m.
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DX342/DX344.
6.25-7.25 p.m. Variety.
7 p.m.
(Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.)
Vocal Medley—Here We Are Again.
The Big Four. DX274.
Band—Castles in the Sand.
Band—Hallelujah I'm a Tramp.
Debroy Somers Band. CB617.
Song—Bubbling Over with Love.
Song—Let's Get Friendly.
Florence Oldham (Comedienne). DB530.
Orchestral—The Land of Smiles—Patiently Smiling.
Orchestral—The Land of Smiles—You Are my Heart's Delight.
Albert Sandler and His Orchestra. DB523.
Old—Time Medley—Vesta Victoria.
Vesta Victoria and Chorus. DX290.
Orchestral—Waiters on Parade.
Orchestral—Da-dar, da-dar.
The B. B. C. Dance Orchestra. CB616.
Selection—Old England.
Selection—Kentucky Home.
Sydney Baynes and His Orchestra. DX222.
Selection—Folly to be Wise.
Percival Makey and His Band. DX219.
7.25-8 p.m.
Band and Orchestral Music.
The Rustle of Spring (Sinding).
The Funeral March of a Marionette (Gounod).
The B. B. C. Wireless Military Band. DX269.
Hyde Park Suite (Jalowicz).
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards. DX221.
Offenbachiana (arr. Finck).
Herman Finck and His Orchestra. DX327.
The Evolution of Dixie (Lake).
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards. DX228.
8 p.m.
Local Time and Weather Report.
8.3-10.30 p.m.
Chinese recorded programme.
10.30 p.m.
Close Down.
All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. The Anderson Music Co.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

5.00 p.m.—Students Recital—Conservatory of Music, University of the Philippines.
6.10 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.
6.30 p.m.—English Informational Period.
7.00 p.m.—Oliver Music Store programme.
7.15 p.m.—Dinner Music.
7.45 p.m.—Song Recital—Luz Guarina.
8.00 p.m.—La Yebana Cigar & Cigarette Factory.
8.15 p.m.—States Steamship Tour.
8.30 p.m.—Chevrolet Jamboree—Pacific Commercial Company.
9.30 p.m.—Dance Programme Chevrolet Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Sign Off.

BOYCOTT WEAPON

PROPOSAL FOR TRADE UNION CONGRESS

London, Aug. 19.

British Labour, through the General Council of the Trades Union Congress, has called for a boycott of German goods and services. The Congress meets early in September when the agenda, including the motion for a German boycott, will be considered.

The Council, in stressing the severe setback sustained by international Trades Unionism owing to the Nazi seizure of German Trade Unions, urges the boycott, in the hope that it will bring home to the German Government the fact that the crimes committed cannot be condoned.

The ban, according to the report issued by the Council, must be made so effective that the German people will sweep away the present regime and revert to the ways of freedom. —*Reuter.*

CANTON CRASH

TWO AIRMEN HURT AT SHAUKAULING

Canton, Aug. 20.

Another accident of a serious nature was reported yesterday morning when a Morris plane, piloted by the Third Squadron Assistant Commander, Liu Kwok-kwang, who carried with him as passenger another Government aviation trainer, clashed while undertaking a test flight over the new Shaukauling Aerodrome.

The pilot had a narrow escape from serious injuries; and both men had to be admitted to the Chungshan University Hospital.

Other air officers stated that the plane was flying at a low attitude when the mishap occurred. The same plane was involved in an accident only recently. This was its first flight since the former crash.—*Wah Kiu Yat Po.*

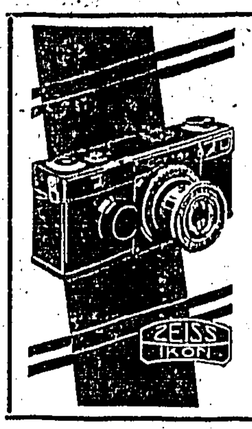
FLOOD REFUGEES.

TWO MILITARY TRAINS SENT TO ASSIST

Peking, Aug. 19.

Two military trains have been sent to Tsining to assist in the flood refugee work, as the waters are not spreading, as the waters are still 50 miles from Hsuchowfu at the junction of the Lunghai and Tsinpu Railways.

Two military trains have been sent to Tsining to assist in the...



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BAD CONDITIONS SPOIL FIRST SURFBOARD REGATTA

THAT ELUSIVE LAWN BOWLS TITLE

K.B.G.C. LOSE GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY

DECIDING MATCH NECESSARY

The Kowloon Bowling Green lost a golden opportunity of winning the first division championship of the bowls league on Saturday, when, requiring but two points to accomplish the feat, they lost to the Taikoo Recreation Club by four shots.

But this was not the only surprise. Craigengower, hard on the heels of the Kowloon team, fell victims before their own supporters to the Club de Recreio.

The net result was to allow Civil Service to jump in, and, consequent upon their victory against Kowloon Docks, to be in the position to challenge the Bowling Green for the title.

The likelihood of this position was envisaged in these columns a week ago and it now has to be recognised that Civil Service are probably the most likely winners of the championship.

VITAL MATCH.

At the present moment the Bowling Green are entrenched at the head of the table. To use golfing parlance, they are dormy, and will meet either Craigengower or Civil Service in a deciding match.

The last two named teams play off the final match of the league programme next Saturday. The match is on the Civil Service green



CHAMPIONS LOSE—A measure on one of the heads in the Craigengower v. Recreio lawn bowls match Saturday when Craigengower were unexpectedly beaten. (Photo Ming Yuen).

which must have some bearing on the likely outcome.

In the Second Division the Bowling Green as good as said farewell to the championship by losing to the Yacht Club, whilst Craigengower improved their position by beating the Recreio.

Craigengower are now almost certain to retain the title they won last summer. Their only serious challengers are Civil Service, who, having played one game extra, are still two points behind. Craigengower require only five points from their remaining four matches to assure themselves of first place.

RESULTS.

DIVISION 1.

Kowloon Docks	53	C.S.C.C.	58
C.C.C.	47	Recreio	56
Taikoo	62	K.D.G.C.	58
Police	77	K.C.C.	42

DIVISION 2.

Yacht Club	61	K.B.G.C.	47
Recreio	54	C.C.C.	64
C.C.C.	68	Electric	51
K.C.C.	58	Indian R.C.	55

LEAGUE TABLES.

DIVISION 1.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.	F.	A.
K.B.G.C.	14	9	—	5	18	98	—
C.C.C.	13	8	—	5	16	66	—
C.S.C.C.	13	8	—	5	16	28	—
Police	14	8	—	6	16	1	—
Kowloon Docks	14	6	—	8	12	5	—
Recreio	13	6	—	8	12	—	19
K.C.C.	14	5	—	9	10	—	42
Taikoo	14	5	—	9	10	—	118

DIVISION 2.

C.C.C.	12	10	—	2	20	182	—
K.B.G.C.	14	10	—	4	20	140	—
C.C.C.	13	9	—	4	18	85	—
Recreio	14	7	—	7	14	71	—
Police	13	7	—	6	14	—	37
Yacht Club	13	5	—	8	10	—	66
K.C.C.	13	5	—	8	10	—	60
Indian R. C.	13	1	—	12	2	—	196

The Officers, R.A., will be 'At Home' at Stonecutters Island Fleet Co-morrow, to all officers and their families, after the half mile swimming team race.

A meeting of Army Unit representatives will be held in the Block Mess, Lorie Barracks, on Thursday, at 11.30 a.m., to discuss the programme for this year's Autumn Meeting, the possibility

RECREIO WIN AGAIN

NOW SECOND IN "B" DIVISION

LEAGUE TENNIS

The Club de Recreio have jumped to second place in the "B" Division of the lawn tennis league and are now on level points with the Chinese Recreation Club, although the latter, virtual champions, have played one game less.

The Recreio easily defeated the Graduates Association last week and so placed themselves above South China. The Graduates captured only two sets, whilst E. A. Noronha and Dr. A. P. Guterres won all three.

But for their odd set defeat at the hands of the K.C.C. the Recreio would now be seriously challenging the C.R.C., as the Portuguese have only one outstanding match to play.

Scores:

J. B. Gonsalves and A. E. Xavier (Recreio) lost to Samy and Gittins 4-6; beat Khoo and Sepher 6-1; beat Cheong and Pau 6-1.

L.A.L. Silva and J. J. Remedios (Recreio) beat Samy and Gittins 7-5; lost to Khoo and Sepher 3-6; beat Cheong and Pau 6-0.

E. A. Noronha and Dr. Guterres (Recreio) beat Samy and Gittins 6-4; beat Khoo and Sepher 6-4; beat Cheong and Pau 6-2.

LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Sets F.	Sets A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	6	6	0	0	48	11	12
Club de Recreio	7	6	0	1	47½	18½	12
South China	8	5	1	2	41	30	11
U.S.R.C.	6	5	0	1	44½	21½	10
Graduates Assn.	8	3	0	5	27	35	6
Kowloon C. C.	7	3	0	4	31½	31½	6
Indian R. C.	8	3	0	5	31	41	6
Hongkong C. C.	7	2	0	5	21½	27½	4
Civil Service	6	0	1	5	16	38	1
University	5	—	—	5	5	10	0

EASY FOR SWITZERLAND

WIN DAVIS CUP TIE 4-1

ALL SINGLES

Monaco, Aug. 20.

Monaco's effort in winning the doubles match in their Davis Cup tie with Switzerland after losing the opening singles was unavailing.

The Swiss office again proved vastly superior in singles play and won the final matches to-day to give Switzerland entry into the third round of the qualifying competition by four matches to one.

Both Fisher and Ellmer won their encounters comfortably today in straight sets, the results reading:

Fisher (Switzerland) beat Landau 6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

Ellmer (Switzerland) beat Medecin 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.—*Reuter.*

WATER POLO

Postponed Games This Week

The following postponed water-polo games in the H.K.I.A.S.A. League will be played this week:

To-day.

Y.M.C.A. "A" v Civil Servants (C.C.S.S.C., 6 p.m.)

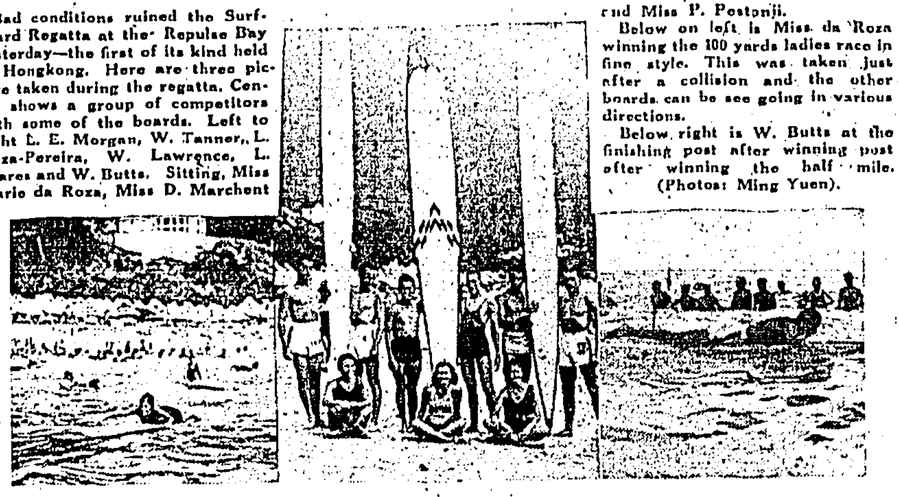
Y.M.C.A. "B" v 'Y' Companions (South China, 6 p.m.)

Tuesday.

Y.M.C.A. "B" v C.B.C. (C.B.C., 6 p.m.)

A Walk Over.

The Hongkong University Swimming Club conceded a walk over to the South China Athletic Association 'A' in the Colony Water-Polo League



Bad conditions ruined the Surfboard Regatta at the Repulse Bay yesterday—the first of its kind held in Hongkong. Here are three picture taken during the regatta. Centre shows a group of competitors with some of the boards. Left to right L. E. Morgan, W. Tanner, L. Roza-Pereira, W. Lawrence, L. Soares and W. Butts. Sitting, Miss Marie da Roza, Miss D. Marchent and Miss P. Pestonji.

Below on left is Miss da Roza winning the 100 yards ladies race in fine style. This was taken just after a collision and the other boards can be see going in various directions.

Below right is W. Butts at the finishing post after winning post after winning the half mile. (Photos: Ming Yuen).

SPLENDID HALF MILE RACE BY BUTTS & ROZA-PEREIRA

UPSET IN LADIES 100 YDS. DASH

With weather conditions just about as bad as they could be the first local surfboard paddling regatta held at Repulse Bay yesterday was robbed of much of its attraction both as a spectacle and a sport.

It was extremely bad luck for the organisers who had put in so much effort to make the event a success. Their decision to hold the regatta in spite of the weather came as a surprise to many, but the decision was influenced by several of the competitors who enthusiastically declared their desire to hold the races.

Naturally under such conditions the standard of paddling and the times returned by the winners suffered. But in view of the tremendous difficulties it can be said that many of the entrants revealed distinct possibilities.

THE HALF MILE.

The most interesting race was the men's half mile, the opening event of the afternoon. It was won by the favourite, Bill Butts, but it was by no means a walkover. He was very seriously challenged by Lionel Roza-Pereira for more than half the distance.

Butts owed his victory very largely to the fast start he made. He got away very quickly and was able at the first turn to lead by the best part of the length.

Roza-Pereira hung on doggedly and really paddled a magnificent race in view of the increased difficulties he had in remaining on his very light board which was buffeted by the waves throughout the race.

In the home stretch, Butts, paddling strongly, increased his lead and finished about three lengths to the good.

COLLISION MARS RACE.

The ladies were set a stiff task in navigating their boards parallel to the shore and the 100 yards dash was somewhat marred by a collision which appeared to deprive Miss Doris Marchent of second place. She was holding her own against Miss Marie da Roza up to that point, but another board hit her and turned her in towards the beach.

Miss da Roza surprised everybody by her exceptionally fine performance. She immediately into the lead and paddling strongly on Roza-Pereira's board, finished lengths ahead of other competitors.

W. Tanner won the "Veterans" event as anticipated, and Bill Butts claimed his second success when he captured the 100 yards dash from Wilfrid Lawrence.

The effort to establish a local time mark for the ladies' and men's relay events was not a success owing to the impossible conditions which prevented any sort of speeding, the competitors having to concentrate on keeping to their boards.

At the conclusion of the programme, the prizes were presented by Mrs. Croucher at the beach Kiosk.

TIMES.

Here are the times returned by the winners of the various events:

	M.	S.
Half Mile	5	29
Ladies 100 yards		61
Boys 100 yards		56
Men's 100 yards		36.1/5
Men's Over 30		37.3/5

The results were:

The results were as follow:

Men's Open Half Mile.—1, W. Butt; 2, Lionel Roza-Pereira.

Ladies Open 100 Yards Dash.—1, Maria da Roza; 2, Doris Hunt.

Boys (16 and under) 100 Yards.—1, A. Iffla; 2, S. Lee.

Men's 100 Yards Dash.—1, W. Butt; 2, W. Lawrence.

Men (over 30) 100 Yards.—1, W. Tanner; 2, G. Lammert.

Ladies' Relay Race.—A race against time was held, the team being the first four home in the previous ladies' race (Maria da Roza, Doris Hunt, Beatrice Pestonji and Doris Marchent).

Men's Relay Race.—1, V.R.C. Team (T. Paget, W. Lawrence, W. Butt, L. A. Soares).

2, Unattached Team (Lionel Roza-Pereira, W. Tanner, L. E. Morgan, M. M. de V. Soares).

3, Unattached Team (J. A. Soares, S. MacNider, F. A. Sequeira, and A. N. Other).

ARMY TENNIS

Lincolns Singles Finalists

L/Cpl. Ridley ("A" Company) and Dmr. Chapman (Headquarter Wing) have qualified for the Final of the Lincolns Lawn Tennis Singles Championship, and will meet at Shamshuipo on Wednesday.

Before a large crowd, which included the Commanding Officer, Lieut-Col. E. J. de C. Boys M. C., who is himself a keen tennis player, Ridley, inside left in the Battalion soccer eleven, played brilliant tennis to beat Sgt. Maipas ("D" M. G. Company) 6-4, 4-6, 9-7 after being led 5-4 and 7-6 in the final set.

Chapman easily eliminated Bdsm. Ellison (Headquarter Wing) by scores of 6-1, 6-2.

Lieut-Col. Boys will present the prizes after the final match.

WIN THE DOUBLES.

Monaco, Aug. 10.

After losing the first two singles against Switzerland in their tie in the qualifying competition for the 1934 Davis Cup, Monaco retrieved their position somewhat by carrying off the doubles to-day.

Landau and Gallepe, of Monaco, were just too good for Aeschliman and Steiner. They won the first set after 10 games, conceded the second, and had no difficulty in winning the next two.

The full scores were 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.—*Reuter.*

ATHLETES MEET.

Germany Outpoints Britain At White City.

London, Aug. 20.

In the International Athletic Meeting at White City last night, Germany defeated Britain by 76 points to 59.

Borchmeyer, the famous German sprinter, won the 100 yards sprint in the splendid time of ten seconds. He also won the 220 yards race in 22-1/10 seconds.—*Reuter.*

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

Joe E. Kirkwood Wins The Canadian Title.

Toronto, Aug. 20.

Joe E. Kirkwood, from Chicago, with an aggregate score of 282 yesterday won the Canadian Open Golf Championship. The defender of the Championship, Harry Cooper, also of Chicago, and Lex Robson, of Toronto, were runners-up with a score of 290 each.

Cooper, however, was well below form.

SCOTTISH FOOTBALL

SMART DISPLAY BY HIBERNIANS

EARN DRAW WITH RANGERS

LEAGUE TABLES

London, Aug. 19.

Playing in their second game since their promotion to the First Division of the Scottish Football League, the Hibernians, before their own supporters, created a surprise by holding the redoubtable Glasgow Rangers to a goalless draw.

The other promoted team, Queen O'South, who defeated Celtic last week, followed up this performance by returning with full points from Third Lanark.

Motherwell won their second game at the expense of St. Johnstone, while Aberdeen only just managed to take full points from the Airdrieonians.

Full results, as cabled by Reuter, are appended:

FIRST DIVISION.

Airdrie	0	Aberdeen	1
Ayr	4	Hearts	3
Celtic	2	Falkirk	2
Cowdenbeath	0	Queen's Park	2
Dundee	1	Clyde	1
Hibernians	0	Rangers	0
Motherwell	1	St. Johnstone	0
Partick	2	Kilmarnock	3
St. Mirren	2	Hamilton	3
Third Lanark	1	Queen O'South	2

LEAGUE TABLE.

Rangers	3	2	1	0	14	2	5
Aberdeen	2	2	0	0	9	0	4
Motherwell	2	2	0	0	2	0	4
Queen's Park	2	2	0	0	4	1	4
Kilmarnock	3	2	0	1	8	5	4
Queen O'Sth.	2	2	0	0	5	3	4
Falkirk	3	1	2	0	7	6	4
Dundee	2	1	1	0	2	1	3
Third Lanark	3	1	1	1	6	6	3
Hearts	2	1	0	1	9	4	2
Partick	2	1	0	1	9	6	2
Hamilton	2	1	0	1	6	9	2
Ayr	3	1	0	2	5	20	2
Celtic	2	0	1	1	4	5	1
Hibernians	2	0	1	1	1	2	1
Clyde	2	0	1	1	1	2	1
St. Mirren	3	0	0	3	3	11	0
Cowdenbeath	2	0	0	2	1	6	0
Airdrie	2	0	0	2	1	6	0
St. Johnstone	2	0	0	2	0	2	0

SECOND DIVISION.

Alloa	1	Dundee	2
Dumbarton	2	King's Park	1
East Fife	2	Leith	1
East Stirling	5	Raith Rovers	1
Forfar	3	Albion	1
Montrose	2	Arbroath	1
Morton	4	Edinburgh	0
St. Bernards	2	Brechin	1
Sten'muir	3	Dunfermline	1

LEAGUE TABLE.

Forfar	2	2	0	0	7	2	4
East Stirling	2	2	0	0	7	2	4
Sten'muir	2	2	0	0	6	2	4
East Fife	2	2	0	0	5	2	4
Arbroath	2	1	0	1	6	2	2
Morton	2	1	0	1	6	3	2
Albion	2	1	0	1	7	5	2
King's Park	2	1	0	1	4	4	2
St. Bernards	2	1	0	1	4	4	2
Dumbarton	2	1	0	1	3	3	2
Dunfermline	2	1	0	1	4	5	2
Dundee U.	2	1	0	1	3	4	2
Montrose	2	1	0	1	4	7	2
Edinburgh	2	1	0	1	2	5	2
Leith	2	0	0	2	2	4	0
Brechin	2	0	0	2	2	6	0
Raith Rovers	2	0	0	2	2	8	0
Alloa	2	0	0	2	1	7	0

The Aquatic Sports of Headquarter's Wing, South Wales Borderers, will be held on Thursday, at 3.30

TWO SWIMMING GALAS

FIRST RATE COMPETITION AT S.C.A.A.

INVITATION MIXED RELAY AT CHINESE A.A.

Two swimming galas were held during the week-end; South Athletic Association holding their fifth event of the season last night and the Chinese Athletic Association organising one on Saturday.

There was some first rate competition seen at the S.C.A. Gala, the chief events being the Women's 150 metres medley and the Men's 880 metres free style championship, the South China team won the first and Wong Yew-man the championship.

A men's life-saving exhibition was also included in the programme, which was brought to a close by an amusing water polo game in which the boys defeated the young ladies by the odd goal in seven.

At the conclusion of the events Mr. Wong Kyen, former General of the Kwong Sai province, who donated the prizes, distributed them to the successful competitors.

Results.

The following were the results:—

Men's 50 Metres Free Style Handicap (over 30 years of age).—1st. Chan Sau-ping; 2nd. Yan Yu-yu; 3rd. Ng See-kuen.

Men's 50 Metres Child-carrying Race.—1st. Tse Kim-hung; 2nd. Mok Wa-to; 3rd. Lo Hung-sin.

Ladies' 150 Metres Medley Relay Race (open to the affiliated clubs of the H.K.I.A.S.A.).—1st. S.C.A.A. "A" Team; 2nd. Chung Sing; 3rd. S.C.A.A. "B" Team.

Diving for Plates.—1st. Li Po-sum; 2nd. Wong Sui-cheong; 3rd. Lau Hung-chu.

Ladies' 50 Metres Novice Free Style Handicap.—1st. Fung Sau-chun; 2nd. Lee Shun-ho; 3rd. Pang Siu-mui.

Men's 800 Metres Free Style Championship.—1st. Wong Yew-man; 2nd. Kwok Hon-ming; 3rd. Leung Wai-sang. Time:—14 mins. 15 secs.

Ladies' 50 Metres Blindfolded Apple-picking Race.—1st. Yeung Sau-chun; 2nd. Yeung Sau-king; 3rd. Leung Wing-han.

Fancy Diving.—1st. Lau Hung-shu; 2nd. Leung Din-sun; 3rd. Yeung Tak-ming.

Water-polo.—Small Boys defeated Young Ladies' Team by 4 goals to 3.

THE CHINESE A.A. GALA

SPLENDID RELAY RACE

A thrilling duel between the South China Athletic Association and the Victoria Recreation Club in the 200 Metres Mixed Invitation team race provided the feature at the Chinese Athletic Association's swimming gala at North Point on Saturday night. The former team won by a touch.

The gala was one of the best organised by the Club this season, and provided many thrilling finishes, especially in the Men's 200 Metres Championship, which was won by Ng Wah-chau, and in the Inter-Department Relay.

In the relay event South China fielded a strong team, which comprised Miss Yeung Sau-king and Miss Yeung Sau-chun, Kwok Chan-hang and Chan Ki-chun, of the Canton South China Athletic Association, who swam a brilliant race to beat E. B. da Roza by a touch in the last lap.

At the conclusion of the gala, Squadron-Commander Tang Yuet-ming, who was the donor of the prizes, congratulated the entrants on their excellent showing before he presented the awards.

The following were the results:

Invitation Mixed Relay: — 1 S.C.A.A.; 2 V.R.C.; 3 C.A.A.

Time: 2 mins. 11.4/5 secs.

Ladies' 100 Metres:—1 Miss Chiu Pui-tin, 2 Miss Tit Hing, 3 Miss Chan Chi-tai.

Time: 1 min. 50 secs.

Men's 200 Metres Championship:—1 Ng Wah-chau, 2 Lau Po-hay, 3 Chiu Cheok-yau.

Time: 2 mins. 47.3/5 secs.

Children's (Under 12) 50 Metres:—1 Miss Pang Wun-hing, 2 Yeung Wing-piu, 3 Miss Pau Po-yue.

Time: 57 secs.

Men's 100 Metres Breast Stroke:—1 Choi Wan-kay, 2 Lo Wai-kay, 3 Ng Cheung-fai.

Time: 1 min. 26 secs.

Ladies' 75 Metres Medley:—1 Miss Lo Kwai-cheung, 2 Miss Chan Yuk-fai, 3 Miss Chan Woon-keng.

Time: 1 min. 12 secs.

Men's 50 Metres Back Stroke:—1 Lau Po-hay, 2 Wun Chee-cheong, 3 Ng Wah-chau.

Time: 36 secs.

Men's Inter-Department Relay:—1 Volley Ball Department, 2 Ambulance Department, 3 Football Department.

Time: 2 min. 25 secs.

Men's 50 Metres Blindfold Race:—1 Lau Po-hay, 2 Kwok Fung-san, 3 Chiu Cheok-yau.

Time: 33 secs.

DAY OF DOUBLE HEADERS

YANKEES SCORE FREELY

SENATORS HOLD THEIR OWN

New York, Aug. 20.

Major League baseball to-day was featured by the number of double header successes recorded.

Boston and St. Louis in the National League scored double wins against Pittsburgh and Brooklyn respectively, whilst in the American League, New York Yankees, the Senators, Cleveland and Detroit enjoyed similar victories.

The Yankees ran riot against Chicago, scoring 25 runs in two games, whereas the Senators had close calls with St. Louis, nosing their opponents out twice.

Scores as supplied by *Reuter* were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	10	0
Chicago	1	7	4
Boston	5	11	3
Pittsburgh	4	9	2

(Berger homered for Boston and Traynor for Pittsburgh. There were eleven innings).

Boston	8	12	1
Pittsburgh	1	10	1
Brooklyn	2	11	0
St. Louis	6	11	2

(Medwick homered for St. Louis).

Brooklyn	0	5	1
St. Louis	5	13	0

(Dean pitched and blanked out Brooklyn and Collins and Watkins homered for St. Louis).

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland	14	15	5
Boston	6	13	0

(Averill and Cissell homered for Cleveland).

Cleveland	9	15	0
Boston	4	7	1

(Jolley homered for Boston).

Chicago	3	5	1
New York	14	16	0

(Gehrig homered for New York)

Chicago	3	5	3
New York	11	12	4
Detroit	5	11	0
Philadelphia	4	8	0
Detroit	4	10	1
Philadelphia	1	7	0
St. Louis	1	4	1
Washington	2	5	0
St. Louis	3	10	4
Washington	4	12	1

INTERPORT POLO

Shanghai Retains Keswick Cup

HONGKONG LOSE

Shanghai, Aug. 20.

Shanghai to-day retained the Keswick Cup, emblematic of the interport polo championship when the northern team defeated Hongkong by 11 goals to one.

The game was rather uninteresting, as Shanghai was much too strong for the invaders, but was noteworthy for the number of fouls.

Eleven fouls were given against Shanghai and four against Hongkong.

Shanghai led at half-time by six goals to nil, and it was until the fourth chukker, soon after its start, that Hope scored the Colony's only goal. He rode in on the Shanghai posts and delivered a powerful backhanded shot which was perfectly timed.

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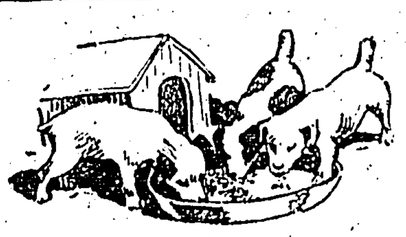
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London, Aug. 19.

"The Prince of Pacificators," (a description once applied to Sir Miles Lampson by Sir Austen Chamberlain), and "the Super Diplomat" are two of the phrases used in the general eulogistic comments occasioned by Sir Miles Lampson's new appointment.

The Times refers to his high reputation, and the ability and firmness with which he dealt with the ever-changing situation in China and his successful formula resulting in the Sino-Japanese truce in Shanghai in March, last year.

Both the *Morning Post* and the *Daily Herald* infer from the appointment of a Diplomat that the Government is to continue the present Egyptian policy.—*Reuter.*

AUCTION BRIDGE

Kowloon C.C. Beat Sports Club

The Kowloon Cricket Club beat the Sports Club by 2,450 points in an Auction Bridge match at the Sports Club on Friday. The following were the final standings of the couples:

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"Mind" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which was read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was: "It is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure" (Philippians 2:13).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Blessed art thou, O Lord: teach me thy status....I will meditate in thy precepts, and have respect unto thy ways. I will delight myself in thy statutes: I will not forget thy word....Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law; yea, I shall observe it with my whole heart For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind" (Ps. 119:12. 15, 16, 18, 34- II Tim. 1:7).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Divine metaphysics, as revealed to spiritual understanding, shows clearly that all is Mind, and that Mind is God, omnipotence, omnipresence, omniscience,—that is, all power, all presence, all Science. Hence all is in reality the manifestation of Mind" (p.275).

LAUNCHES COLLIDE.

ONE VESSEL SUFFERS SERIOUS DAMAGE

Two steam-launches collided in the harbour on Saturday afternoon. One received considerable damage and had to be towed to the Yaumati typhoon shelter.

The coxswain of the launch Tak Choi reported to the police that, as his launch was leaving the No. 5 pier of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, it came into collision with another launch, the Fung Fu.

The Fung Fu struck the Tak Choi on the starboard side, damaging her so seriously that she had to be towed to the typhoon shelter for safety.

INDIAN COTTONS.

NEGOTIATIONS MAY RESULT IN HUGE SHIPMENT

London, Aug. 19.

A great advance has been made towards the fulfilment of a scheme to establish a new Anglo-Indian organisation to secure co-operation between Indian cotton-growers and Lancashire.

According to the *Daily Telegraph's* Manchester correspondent, arrangements are being concluded for the shipment of about 20,000 bales of Indian cotton to Britain.

This will be spun and woven in Lancashire and re-exported to India, to be marketed in co-operation with Indian growers.—*Reuter.*

TRINITY COLLEGE HONOURS.

MISS CAROLINE BRAGA GAINS A.T.C.L.

Local honours in the Theory Examination of the Trinity College of Music (London), held here on June 10, have been received by Mr. William Anderson, local Secretary.

Miss Caroline Braga, who has now passed the full examination, has had conferred upon her by the College, the professional Diploma of Associate of the College, (A.T.C.L.). Other awards are as follow:

Intermediate Division.—Honours, Irene Alice Short, 86; Florence Tong 85.

Pass. Dora Ellis 67.

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Junior Division.—Honours, Violet Shum 100, Jeannette Wong 90.

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Pass, Peggy Ma 70; Ella Hong Sling 65.

The figures give the percentage of marks gained.

PUPS NOT FOR POT.

BIDDERS WARMED AT AN AUCTION SALE

Two animated puff-balls which those present were assured were French pedigreed poodle pups, were offered for sale at Messrs. Lammert Bros. Auction Rooms on Saturday.

In view of the attendance comprising mostly second-hand furniture dealers and others who were not reasonably expected to know anything about the finer points in a dog, the auctioneer (Mr. L. Lammert) found it necessary to warn them against a possible misunderstanding. He said that the creatures were not intended for the pot, and that they were to bear that point in mind when making their bids.

One of the pups was disposed of by private sale before the other was offered for general auction. This *morceau de chien* drew but a single bid, of $14, whereat the owner, who doubtless had reason for expecting much more, looked indignant and withdrew her property from the sale.

An Alsatian pup was similarly withdrawn.

HAVANA ARRESTS.

FOLLOW GRUESOME DISCOVERY IN PRISON FORTRESS

Havana, Aug. 19.

Eight soldiers have been arrested in consequence of the discovery of four bodies in the Castillo Atares fortress, where ex-President Machado formerly remanded political prisoners.—*Reuter.*

BANFF AGENDA

MANCHURIA QUESTION DEBATE

Banff, Aug. 20.

A conflict has developed on the Manchurian issue at the meeting of the Institute of Pacific Relations, which was continued yesterday.

Chinese delegates to the Institute declared that China would steadfastly refuse to recognise the political entity of Manchukuo.

They claimed that Manchuria was the logical outlet for China's teeming millions and Japan's claim for the territory was much weaker.

The Japanese delegates, in reply to questions, said that they did not expect that there would be any opposition on the part of the Manchukuo government to the free entry of Chinese into Manchukuo, provided some guarantee was given of the friendly nature of the migration.

If Chinese emigrants adapted themselves to the new conditions prevailing in Manchukuo, they would probably be welcome.

Textile Competition.

During the discussion on the international competition in the textile industry, Japanese spokesmen maintained that Japan had won her hold on the lower and middle priced textiles owing to the superiority of their machines, and also to centralised management.

The British delegates said they expected that costs of production would be lowered shortly, owing to the reorganisation which the industry in Lancashire was now undergoing.

They discounted the claims by the Japanese delegates that Japan had gained a hold on the industry by superior methods, and referred to the effects of the depreciated yen.

It was suggested that quotas and other methods of international adjustment would prevent unfair competition, and the British spokesmen contended that stabilisation of currencies should be constituted the keynote of the question.—*Reuter.*

PRISON BREAK

MANY ESCAPE IN AMOY RIOT

Amoy, Aug. 20.

A sensational prison riot occurred at 2 p.m. yesterday at the Amoy City Prison when the hundred or so prisoners made a concerted attack on the warders, and after wounding one of them seriously, some ninety escaped.

The whole city was thrown into confusion with the entire Police force making a search of all suspected quarters and the suburbs.

The authorities are reticent in giving information on the gaol-break, but it is learned that ten to fifteen prisoners were recaptured. It is officially admitted that 64 escaped.—*Wah Kiu Yat Po.*

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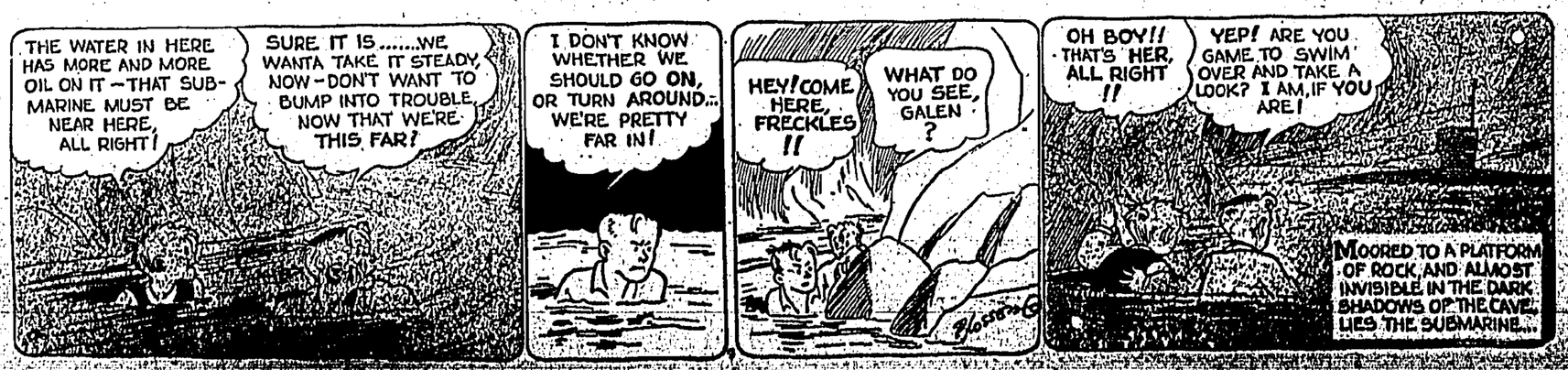
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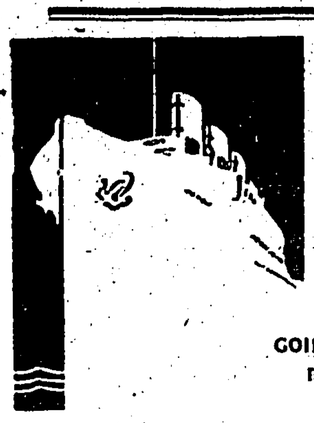
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By W. E. McKenney

I am pleased to present to you to-day one of our new master players in the person of Samuel Fry who, with his teammates, recently won the All-American Contract Team-of-four Championship.

Mr. Fry well demonstrates the type of bridge that is played by the strong group of contract players at Deal, N. J., headed by P. Hal Sims. It was with this group that Mr. Fry as a youngster first played, and to-day he ranks as one of the youngest of champions.

Mr. Fry has given us what I would call an exceptionally interesting tournament hand, not because of its good bidding or play but to show the strategy that a real champion must employ when he finds himself in a difficult situation.

The Bidding

Mr. Fry held the North hand. His partner opened the contracting with one club. Mr. Fry overcalled with one spade—a one over one force. South showed the safety of the hand with a bid of two spades.

	♠A-Q-10-2 ♥Q-10-8-3 ♦Q-5 ♣Q-J-10	
♠J-9-7 ♥J-5 ♦K-10-8-7 ♣9-6-5-4	NORTH WEST EAST Dealer SOUTH	♠5-3 ♥A-9-7-6-2 ♦A-J-9-2 ♣8-2
	♠K-8-6-4 ♥K-4 ♦6-4-3 ♣A-K-7-3	26

Mr. Fry then bid two no trump. South bid three spades and Mr. Fry had a close question to decide—whether this was a nine or a ten-trick hand. It looked more simple to him to make nine tricks and so, instead of bidding four spades, he went three no trump.

The Play

East opened the six of hearts. West played the jack and Mr. Fry won with the queen. He immediately saw that four spades was a spread and even though he made three no trump he would have a bad score on the board. His only chance, therefore, was to try to make four no trump.

This could only be accomplished by establishing another heart trick. However, Mr. Fry realized that if he led a heart immediately his opponents would start the diamond suit and then even game could not be made.

He therefore decided on a little strategy and led a club, winning in dummy with the king and then leading a small diamond. West played low and Mr. Fry played the queen, East winning with the ace.

East could not be blamed for not returning a diamond so long as the declarer had started to establish that suit himself, so he returned a spade which Mr. Fry won and then led a heart. East won with the ace and continued with another spade. Mr. Fry then spread the hand for four no trump and top score on the board.

INSULTS JUDGES

STRANGE BEHAVIOUR IN TOKYO COURT

Tokyo, Aug. 20.

Nissho Inoue, said to be the leader of the Blood League, to whom the murder of the late Finance Minister, Baron Dan, was attributed, has been causing the courts a great amount of embarrassment.

Inoue, who is now in gaol, has been troubling the judicial officials by refusing to be tried by the judges in charge of the case, denouncing them as incompetent and insincere.

A remarkable development occurred, yesterday when Chief Judge Sakamaki personally called on Inoue and offered to hold the criminal proceedings in the way the the prisoner desired. But Inoue turned down the offer.

The judge's action is being publicly criticised as unprecedented in the history of Japanese justice The incident has puzzled officials and the trial has been postponed indefinitely.—*Reuter.*

SACRIFICE OATH.

Tokyo, Aug. 20.

Petition after petition is pouring in to General Araki's office, asking for leniency in the sentences to be passed on the eleven cadets facing a Courtmartial for the assassination of Premier Inukai.

The most gruesome of these missives was a parcel containing nine blood-stained little-fingers, cut off from the hands of the petitioners who, in a strongly-worded petition, declared they are willing to lay down their lives for the cadets.—*Reuter.*

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REHABILITATION OF U.S. INDUSTRY

Washington, Aug. 19.

The new United States Code for the steel industry has been approved by President Roosevelt.

It provides for a 40-hour week, averaged over a three months' period, with 48 hours in a six-day week as a maximum per employee.

An eight-hour day is provided for all regular employees after November 1 or as soon after as production reaches 60 per cent. of capacity.

The Code is effective for 90 days as a trial period, and the agreement cites the opinion of the steel industries that the minimum wage of the fixed Code will exceed an average of 40 cents per hour.

Employees are allowed the right to organise in Trades Unions, with constraint.—*Reuter.*

OIL AGREEMENT SIGNED.

Industry Leaders Agree to Comply With Terms.

Washington, Aug. 20.

President Roosevelt signed the Oil Code yesterday morning, and has also minuted the Executive Order codifying the steel industry for three months.

As soon as the Codes were signed the President entrained for Hyde Park to resume his holiday.

The oil industry Leaders are dissatisfied with the price-fixing provisions in the Oil Code, but have promised General Hugh Johnson, administrator of the National Recovery Plan, that they will comply with its terms on patriotic rather than legal grounds.

The Coal Code and Motor Code have not yet been completed for ratification by the President.

It is estimated the one-third of the total number of employees in the United States are now covered by Rehabilitation Codes.—*Reuter.*

Lumber Code Signed.

Washington, Aug. 20

The President yesterday signed the Code for the lumber producing industry.

Despite the fact that leaders of the petroleum industry demanded a more rigid control of the price of oil, and informed the President that they were unable to accept the Oil Code in its present form, the President also signed this code.—*Reuter.*

CHICAGO WHEAT PIT.

LIMITS ON FLUCTUATION OF DAILY PRICE

Chicago, Aug. 19.

The United States Board of Trade officials are understood to be contemplating the removal of restrictions on the fluctuations of the daily price of grain.

Grain fluctuations were tied down on July 21, and it is anticipated that action will be taken by the Board of Trade before August 21.—*Reuter.*

Following the semi-panic in the New York and Chicago grain markets, action was taken by the United States Board of Trade, setting the closing prices on July 21 as the minimum below which no trading would be allowed until further notice.

Daily fluctuations in an upward direction were unhindered, but fluctuations in a downward direction were limited, in the case of wheat, to five cents, with the fluctuations in the price of other grain in proportion.

REAR ADMIRAL AYLMER

PROMINENT NAVAL FIGURE DIES

London, Aug. 20.

Rear Admiral Henry Evans-Freke Aylmer, C.B.E., whose services during the war won recognition from two foreign countries, has died at Capetown.—*Our Own Correspondent.*

Deceased's home was at Arcturus, South Rhodesia, though his father, the late Capt. J. E. Aylmer, represented Maidstone in the House of Commons.

In 1900, when 22 years old, Rear-Admiral Aylmer was a Lieutenant of the Royal Navy. In 1912 he held the rank of Commander, and five years later was promoted Captain. He served in the war from 1914 to 1917, and received the Russian Order of St. Stanislas, and the American D.S.M.

The widow, a daughter of Vet.-Col. Sir Francis Duck, and two sons, survive him.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED.

DAUGHTER TO PREMIER'S DAUGHTER MR. A. MACKINNON

London, Aug. 19.

Dr. Joan Mackinnon, the second daughter of the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, gave birth to a daughter to-day.

Mrs. Mackinnon, who is the wife of Dr. A. Mackinnon, took her degree of Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery shortly before her wedding on September 30 last year.—*British Wireless.*

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PREMIERS MEET

SIGNIFICANT CONFERENCE AT RIMINI

Vienna, Aug. 19.

The Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Engelbert Dollfuss left for Rimini, in Central Italy, by aeroplane to-day, to meet the Italian Premier, Signor Mussolini, who is spending a holiday at Rimini.—*Reuter.*

Significance is attached to the meeting in view of the attitude of Signor Mussolini regarding the continuance of the Nazi propaganda directed through the Munich radio station against Austria.

Kanya Arranges Meeting.

London, Aug. 20.

Following a conference with Dr. Kanya, the Hungarian Foreign Minister, who, after seeing Signor Mussolini in Rome, broke his return journey to Budapest at Vienna, Dr. E. Dollfuss, the Austrian Chancellor, left by aeroplane Rimini.—*Reuter.*

Acts as Peacemaker.

Rome, Aug. 20.

According to well-informed circles, Signor Mussolini will probably assure Dr. Dollfuss that Italy will continue to act as peacemaker between Vienna and Berlin. The reports that Il Duce intends to promise Dr. Dollfuss unlimited support against Herr Hitler should

DUTCH EAST INDIES.

HEAVY TARIFF IMPOSED ON LUXURY IMPORTS

Batavia, Aug. 19.

A proposed import duty on luxury goods of 20 per cent plus a 50 per cent surtax, is included in the Government Bill aiming at strengthening the financial position of the Dutch East Indies by increased import duties.

All other taxable commodities will be taxed at a flat rate of 12½ per cent, plus a 50 per cent surtax.—*Reuter.*

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GANDHI REMOVED TO HOSPITAL

Believed Suffering From Kidney Trouble

Poona, Aug. 20.

Gandhi has been removed from Yeravda Gaol to the Civil Hospital where there are better opportunities for medical attention and nursing than in prison.

It is believed that Gandhi is suffering from kidney trouble.—*Reuter.*

FREAK GALE DISASTER

ATLANTIC CITY STRUCK

MANY INJURED BY HUGE WAVE

New York, Aug. 20.

Atlantic City was to-day struck by a freak storm, which appeared to develop close by, sweeping into the city without the slightest warning.

Fishing boats and excursion boats were capsized by the violent gale and it is feared that a heavy loss of life occurred.

Guards on the bathing beach at Ocean City saved over a hundred persons who were caught by a huge wave which swept into shore like a tidal wave and carried all before it.

Many were injured by violent dashing against the beach and the sea bed.

Thirty fishing parties have not reported themselves safe and coast guards and volunteers are now combing the coast for survivors.—*Reuter.*

Later.

Four are now known to have been drowned in the gale disaster. Many are still missing.—*Reuter.*

HAVANA SUICIDE HORROR

Populace Loses All Sense of Reason

Havana, Aug. 21.

Revolting scenes were witnessed following the suicide of Senor Ainciart.

The populace took charge of the situation, seizing the body and stringing it up to a lamp-post. The bonfire they started beneath the body eventually ended the horrifying spectacle, the flames leaping up and burning the rope, permitting the hideous object to fall into the fire, while thousands screamed imprecations.—*Reuter.*

BIG HAUL IN ARMED ROBBERY

Alleged Participator Arrested

Lam Hung-yuet, 27, was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning with armed robbery of $8,700 in money and a large quantity of jewellery, and with using personal violence to a Chinese woman at 275, Des Voeux Road Central, on July 17 last.

Det-Sub-Insp. O'Donovan—Inspector Murphy is engaged at the Supreme Court. I am applying for a formal remand for one week. There are other men in the case [illegible]

THE BLUE SHIRT PARADES

GEN. O'DUFFY DEFIES DE VALERA

MINOR SCUFFLES

DUBLIN, AUG. 20.

DUBLIN WAS IN A STATE OF TENSION THROUGHOUT THE ENTIRE DAY, THOUGH THE CITY WAS VERY QUIET APART FROM MINOR SCUFFLES.

Reuter was informed at the headquarters of the National Guard, General O'Duffy's Blue Shirts, that all Blue Shirt parades were held through the countryside as arranged, but the details were not divulged.

There was no sign in Dublin of a provocative parade and the fears of a clash between the Blue Shirts and the Irish Republican Army were borne out.

General O'Duffy's message read to all parades, declared that if politics mean squabbles, the time has come to abolish politics.

Mr. de Valera, having threatened to proscribe the Blue Shirts if the parades were held, Ireland is now awaiting his next move.

MR. DE VALERA'S PLAIN WARNING

Early in the day a clear warning was issued by Mr. de Valera, declaring that the Blue Shirts would be proclaimed illegal if the Minister of Justice received reports to-morrow that uniformed parades of Blue Shirts have been held to-day.

Mr. de Valera, who was addressing a meeting at Thurles, added that members of the National Guard openly professing to belong to the organisation would be subjected to the penalties provided under the Public Safety Act.

O'DUFFY'S RESPONSE.

General O'Duffy, the leader of the Blue Shirts, has responded to this challenge by declaring that "the National Guard will neither dissolve voluntarily nor allow itself to be driven underground.

He added: "If, in spite of the legal constitutional character of the National Guard, the Government declares it to be an unlawful association," the Government will be guilty of a positive act of tyranny."

"REPUBLIC" RUMOURS.

Meanwhile, rumours have been in circulation, following hints of the assumption of dictatorial powers by Mr. de Valera that he intends shortly to proclaim the existence of an Irish Republic.—*Reuter.*

18 MONTHS FOR EURASIAN

FORMER GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE

Douglas Gifford, aged 33, an unemployed Eurasian with a heavy record of crime, who was formerly in the local Government service was sentenced to 18 months' imprisonment with hard labour by the Chief Justice, Mr. J. ... Wood, at the Criminal Sessions this morning.

He pleaded not guilty to taking $60 from Ho Luk, married woman, by means of a trick, and stealing the money at Victoria on July 12.

In passing sentence the Chief Justice said he had to deter Gifford from living on his wits and he hoped that when he came out he would begin a new life.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, prosecuted before a jury comprised of Messrs. P. Younghusband, foreman, J. A. Noronha, A. E. Contes, W. E. Carvalho, A. A. Stern, Tsang Fook, W. M. Mehal.

A fine of $250 or three months' hard labour was imposed by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning on the principal tenant of a [illegible]

Admitting a previous conviction six months ago for the same offence, a Chinese woman was fined $500 or [illegible]

TAIMOSHAN IN ALASKA

MAKE DUTCH HARBOUR AFTER 80 DAYS

GOING STRONG

London, Aug. 21.

Twenty-ton ketch, Taimoshan, which left Hongkong on May 30 manned by five British naval officers, have completed one of the most dangerous stages of their long journey round the world.

They arrived yesterday at Dutch Harbour, Alaska, from Japan, having travelled through some troublous weather more or less along the track of the Aleutian Islands.

They plan, it is learned, to continue their voyage to England to-morrow (August 22), travelling via the Panama Canal.

After leaving Panama, they will head for the West Indies.

IN GOOD SPIRITS.

Up to the present, the yachting adventurers have been on their voyage for about eighty days and have covered, by the route followed, well over six thousand miles. They have been maintaining excellent daily average mileage when under way and though they have met with some bad weather have come through in gay spirits.—*Reuter.*



Hongkong's first surfboard regatta at Repulse Bay. The crowded beach interfered considerably. The photo. shows the start of the ladies' race and below is a group of interested onlookers.

U.S. RECOVERY PROGRAMME PERIL

TOKYO CLAIM TO ISLANDS

LODGE PROTEST IN PARIS

EXPLANATORY COMMUNICATION

Tokyo, Aug. 21.

It is learned authoritatively that the Japanese Charge D'Affaires in Paris, under the Government's instructions, has presented an "explanatory communication" objecting to French occupation of the islands in the South China Sea, the ownership of which have been the subject of controversy.

Japanese official documents show that a leading business-man applied to the Foreign Ministry for a declaration of Japan's sovereignty over these islands on October 7, 1918. In November 1918 a Japanese expedition explored the islands.

In May 1920 another Japanese expedition found twelve islands and petitioned the Navy Office claiming them.

Again in 1929 another Japanese subject filed a petition with the Foreign Ministry making a claim to the same group.

It is claimed that Japanese interests are carrying out mining and other enterprises on the islands.—*Reuter.*

GRAIN PRICES

ACTION BY CHICAGO OFFICIALS

New York, Aug. 20.

The *New York Times* declares that Chicago grain officials are reported to have deferred action removing or modifying the restrictions upon the daily fluctuations of grain prices until August 22 (Tuesday).—*Reuter.*

Later.

It is confirmed that action by the Board of Trade has been postponed. It is awaiting a definite suggestion from Government officials as to whether grain price-limits should be maintained, broadened or abandoned.—*Reuter.*

A MENACE TO HEALTH

DANGEROUS PRACTICE BY COOLIES

It was disclosed by Sanitary Inspector Kerrison in the Central Police Court this morning that scrap paper discarded in bins by offices in the Central district are raked by Chinese and sold to hawkers who use them for wrappings. This practice was a dangerous menace to health.

Mr. Wynne-Jones imposed a fine

CUBA REVOLUTION AFTERMATH

Chief of Police Takes Own Life

Havana, Aug. 20.

Senor Ainciart, Cuba's former Chief of Police, and his bodyguard, committed suicide to-day sooner than face arrest.—*Reuter.*

DOLLFUSS AND MUSSOLINI

ITALY PROMISES SUPPORT

Rome, Aug. 21.

Dr. Dollfuss, Austria's diminutive Chancellor, is returning to Vienna well satisfied with the results of his visit to Italy.

Dr. Dollfuss met Signor Mussolini at Riccione and it is learned that a complete agreement on all questions discussed between them was reached as the result of a long conversation.

No details have been revealed, but it is understood that all aspects of the political situation in Austria were reviewed and that Italy has promised every assistance in maintaining Austria's independence.

Signor Mussolini expressed the opinion that he could render most effective help to Austria through friendly conversations in Berlin through the Italian Ambassador.—*Reuter.*

YOUNG MARSHAL'S NEW POST

JAPANESE WARNING TO PEKING

Changchun, Aug. 16.

The reported appointment to the post of the chairman of the military council of the five provinces of the North-east of Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, is opposed by the Japanese Kwantung Army on the ground that it violates the spirit of the Tangku truce agreement signed between China and Japan recently.

The Kwantung Army Headquarters to-day dispatched a warning to the Chinese authorities with regard to the matter.

FAIR WEATHER

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest over the Pacific to the north-east of Hok[illegible]

CODES FORCE UP PRICES

TEXTILE FIRMS IN TROUBLE

MILLS MAY BE CLOSED

Washington, Aug. 20.

Owing to the persistent reservations and objection to the oil code drafted by the Recovery Administration and signed by President Roosevelt, an effort is to be made to reach a satisfactory compromise.

President Roosevelt has now agreed to appoint a committee representative of the industry, which will examine the code and suggest what modifications they consider desirable.

The President does not infer that he will agree to all the modifications suggested. The men have agreed to abide by his recommendations.

PRICE FIXING POLICY.

It is understood that the Administration does not consider any code to be final. Mr. Roosevelt is projecting a three months' trial of codes like steel and oil and they may be altered according to the experience gathered in the first three months of their operation.

Nevertheless, it seems clear that the Administration has now definitely embarked upon a price-fixing policy.

COTTON PERIL.

Meanwhile, one of the dangers of the Administration's recovery programme is already becoming manifest in the cotton textile industry, the first industry to draft an industrial code, setting the model for the rest.

It is stated that the textile industry has been compelled by the increased cost of production due to the code and the processing tax to increase price to such an extent as to imperil consumption. So serious is the problem that it is foreshadowed that the falling off in sales may force the closing of many mills.—*Reuter.*

HENRY COTTON BEATS WALTER HAGEN

Exhibition Match in Brussels

Brussels, Aug. 20.

In an exhibition match here to-day, Henry Cotton, the well-[illegible]

MYSTERY OF SUICIDE PACT

NOTE FOUND IN SMALL SUITCASE

THE LUNGSHAN TRAGEDY

Attempts are being made by the Hongkong Police to identify a well-dressed and obviously educated young Chinese couple, and to discover the key to the latest mystery, double suicide aboard the s.s. Lungshan.

When the river steamer arrived her from Canton about 11 o'clock last night, the Captain informed the Police that the couple, who gave their names as Mr. and Mrs. Chan, were missing from the steamer in circumstances unquestionably pointing to suicide.

They had occupied Cabin No. 11, on the starboard side of the saloon deck, travelling on a return ticket bought in Canton.

LIVELY SPIRITS.

From the time they boarded the vessel at Canton in the afternoon until they retired to their cabin at 7.30 p.m. after having taken dinner in the saloon, they appeared to their fellow passengers and to the stewards to be in the most lively spirits.

At 10 p.m. as the steamer entered Capsuimoon, Lo Yung, a steward, knocked at the door of their cabin.

He says:—"It was the usual time when according to practice we make a round of the cabins, rousing the passengers in case they have gone to sleep, and handing in their saloon and mess chits.

"The couple in this case had meal chits to the extent of $5.90, No alcoholic drinks were included."

SIGNS OF TRAGEDY.

There was no response, to repeated knocking, from the interior of the cabin and the door was then forced open by the head steward.

The key was on the inside, but the cabin was empty. The window was open, and on the bed immediately below the window soiled shoe-marks were to be seen on the bed linen which was in considerable disorder.

A small leather case left behind was handed to the Police after the Captain had made his report. In it were underclothing belonging to both the man and the woman, a letter written on Chinese note-paper, and a $5 note.

SECRET PRESERVED.

The letter read: *We have but a few words to leave behind and what these few words are will not tell you what has happened or why we have done what we did. We leave the five dollars behind to pay for what we have taken on board.*

The full name of the couple was not disclosed. The man who was of slight build, was well-dressed in European style, while the woman was in the fashionable long silk dress of the better class. They were an attractive couple, the woman being described by the mess boys as being particularly pretty. Both appeared to be about 24 years of age, and spoke Puntl with a Fukien accent.

TRAVELLED UP ON THURSDAY.

They were recognized by the Head Steward of the Lungshan as being a couple who on Thursday night boarded the vessel at Hongkong. They travelled without any luggage other than the same leather case, and obviously had previously come down from Canton, in view of the return ticket they bought on this second occasion. [illegible] indicated by [illegible]



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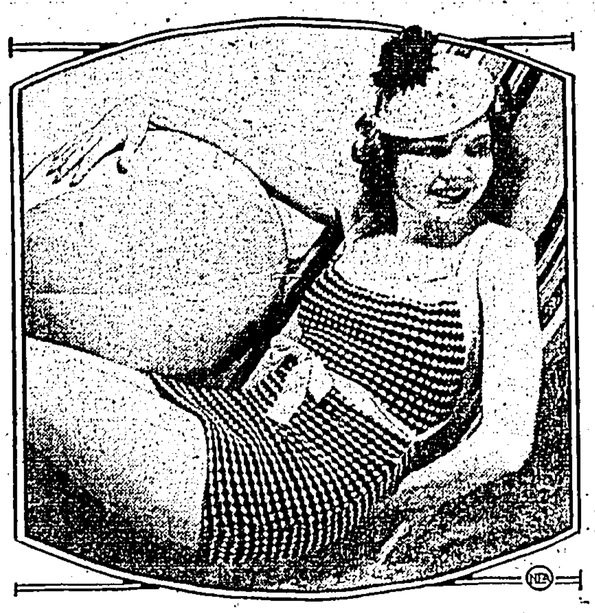


THE WORLD OF WOMEN



DOTTING THE BEACHES

Chic Is at High Tide in This Black-White Suit



Chic signs on the dotted line for bathing suits this year. Particularly when the dotted line is made up of little tufted dots that run together to make an effective white stripe in a black wool suit.

The square neckline is also new. New too is the white strapping which can be worn tied at the back of the neck, like a halter neckline, or crossed, brought through loops and tied like a sash in front. The suit is sun-back, of course. And the little white hat takes a black pompon to tie up with the suit.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF

Don't Let Freckles Get You Down

By Alicia Hart

Freckles can be pretty on some women.

If you happen to be a young modern, then a little string of freckles across your nose and cheeks will heighten your charm.

If you wish to be a fragile, clinging vine, then you must do something about your freckles. For they have an urchin-something about them that ruins any attempt to pull a shrinking violet line.

As a matter of fact, freckles often come with the loveliest, most transparent skins. Don't let freckles give you a complex! If they threaten to, start now to work on them.

With freckles, as with everything else, an ounce of prevention is worth several cures. Protect your skin, that's the first step. Use good lotions or creams. Then powder over the creams. That is a double precaution. Third, carry a parasol. They're chic now and they protect your face.

If your freckles are already very plain to see, then get one of the bleaching creams, or freckle creams, and use it assiduously. Bleaching stimulants should be added to your beauty shelf. And follow directions on every single bottle or jar you buy! After you start bleaching, then be doubly sure that you cream and powder before starting out.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Joan Crawford and Gary Cooper are co-starred for the first time in "To-day We Live" which is showing this week at the Queen's Theatre as a filmization of a new story by the noted writer, William Faulkner. The picture is said to give Miss Crawford brilliant opportunities as the young English girl who struggles desperately to win a chance for love amid the turmoil of the World War. The three men with whom her life is entangled are Cooper as the American aviator, Robert Young as the childhood sweetheart who wins her for a few brief days during the hysteria of life in a billet town, and Franchot Tone, the New York stage star, who makes his first film appearance in "To-day We Live" as Miss Crawford's brother. The cast also includes Rosco Karns, Louise Closser Hale, Rollo Lloyd and Hilda Vaughn under the direction of Howard Hawks, who produced "Scarface."

"Pleasure Cruise"

"Pleasure Cruise", a gay romantic comedy centring about a young wife's adventures during a marriage holiday, started an engagement yesterday at the King's Theatre, with Genevieve Tobin and Roland Young playing the leading roles.

Previously scheduled as Miss Tobin's first contract, "Pleasure Cruise" was postponed to allow the blonde actress to carry the feminine lead in "The Infernal Machine".

As its principal setting, the picture has one of those luxury liners which specialize in vacation cruises on the high seas.

Romantic complications in an environment made to order for love affairs and intrigues, form the basis of the story plot.

The cast in support of Miss Tobin and Young is a notable one that includes Ralph Forbes, Una O'Connor, Herbert Mundin, Minna Gombell, Theodore von Eltz, Frank Atkinson, Robert Greig, and Arthur Hoyt. "Pleasure Cruise" is from the studios of Fox Film.

"The Jungle Killer"

Ask a friend what the most dangerous animals in Africa is and the invariable answer will be "The Lion" —but according to Carveth Wells, described by Lowell Thomas as "the gay blade of exploration" who does the descriptive talking in "The Jungle Killer" the Century Production now showing at the Central Theatre the lion is not dangerous until made so by man. The lion is certainly not nearly so dangerous as an almost invisible little bug, the jigger.

The jigger is a tiny flea which burrows into the toes and under the fingernails of unfortunate travellers, swelling the flesh to the extent where sometimes toes and fingers drop off. And strangely enough, according to Mr. Wells, this most dangerous African pest is not a native of the country at all. It was brought there from tropical America.

Carveth Wells will throw red pepper into the faces of African lions, but he maintains a great respect for the insignificent jigger.

"My Wife's Family"

Monty Banks took his company "up the garden path" for film purposes when he directed the B.I.P. production, "My Wife's Family."

In a country garden setting Elstree's Art department surpassed its previous studio horticultural efforts with artistic ingenuity. Trim green lawns, intersected by crazy paving, form an elegant design round a central arrangement of flower beds. These were composed of real soil in which a fine show of blooming geraniums and rose trees were planted. A rockery blazing with blossoms and overgrown with creeping nasturtiums surrounded an ornamental pool in which ducks disported themselves with much preening of feathers and loud quacks.

A rustic summerhouse with "roses round the door" and thatched roof, is the chief feature of the film's background, and is finally blown up with its sole occupant, a baby grand. Enclosing the garden on three sides was a fine box hedge, trimmed into archways ten feet in height, while the fourth wall is of brick shaded by leafy trees.

This beautiful garden is the setting for hilarious happenings which all picturegoers will appreciate when "My Wife's Family" is presented at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday.

"Born Lucky"

Life backstage and in the servants' quarters is amusingly compared and contrasted in "Born Lucky", Westminster Film Production's film version of Oliver Sandy's novel "Mops", which is being released by the British Film Distribution Co., Ltd. at the King's Theatre on Wednesday. Michael Powel, the director, follows the career of his heroine from a cheap music hall to the West End of London via a domestic situation in the house of an aristocratic Dowager. "Born Lucky" marks the film debut of the well-known singer Talbot O'Farrell. Rene Ray and John Longden head the supporting cast which includes Ben Welden, Helen Ferrers and Barbara Gott.

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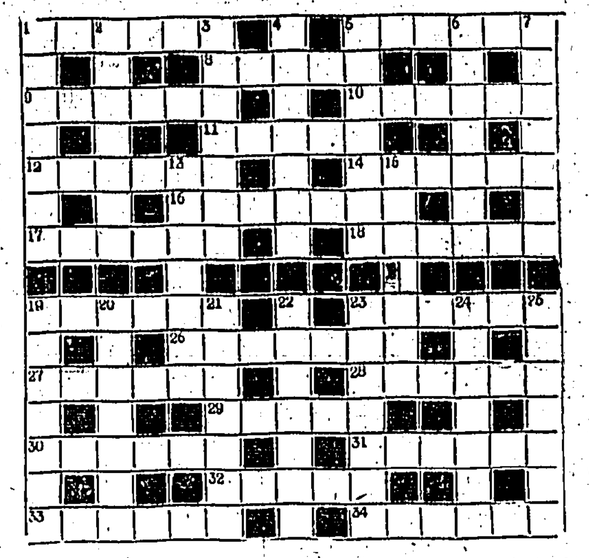
VISIBLE IN HONGKONG THIS AFTERNOON

A partial eclipse of the sun will be visible in Hongkong between 12.47 and 3.27 this afternoon, the greatest phase occurring at 2.11 p.m.

The eclipse begins in Long. 41 East and Lat. 28.26 North at 02.52 G.M.T., and the Central Eclipse will end at 07.42 G.M.T. in Long. 150.38 East and Lat. 20.31 South.

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OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

1 A town that's half a motto word and has a make of car inside it.
5 This keeper of accounts would be less contaminated if he lost a shilling.
8 In a measure we like a place in Surrey.
9 A European country.
10 A lady in Shakespeare.
11 A picturesque town in Spain.
12 Steeps.
14 Having swallowed a lot, it's none too refinedly intoxicated.
16 Say lint and get the arrangement altered.
17 In a regular manner.
18 Gnaws away.
19 Harmony, and appropriately like a bit of music.
23 A famous Roman conqueror.
26 One in U.S.S.R., one in U.S.A.
27 A man in 19 Across obviously performs this variation of friction-reducing.
28 Sometimes described as steely, and if you behead it, there's an obvious reason.
29 A foreign town in an altered sense.
30 Man's name.
31 If you see Ada round about Woolwich, it suggests Philip of Spain.
32 Can be bought but never across the counter.
33 American.
34 Weekly periodical.

Down

1 A bad beginning to a plunge gives you Asiatic isles.
2 When it isn't incapable, it's distinguished.
3 From the draping of the hay round the ears, it looks rather like the March Hare, but that's only gossip!
4 The part-author of "Milestones."
5 Can be easily influenced, and it's only when it loses its head that it becomes responsible.
6 Seen with a mixed eight between bow and stern.
7 Ross man (Anagram).
13 N.
15 Poetically emotional.
19 Loving a party ends all.
20 This is worse than dead, though it sounds like an invitation to flirt.
21 Severed, but joined together in another way.
22 Position in which the nose is fairly near the muzzle.
23 A Royal Corps.
24 Proverbially flat.
25 Cow.

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BIG WAR LOSS

HUANG FU TELLS OF SUFFERING.

Shanghai, Aug. 19.

General Huang Fu, Chairman of the Peking Political Council, arrived in Shanghai from Nanking at 8 a.m. to-day.

Interviewed by *Reuter*, General Huang said Hopei Province had suffered enormously in the recent fighting. The area affected was forty times larger than in the Shanghai hostilities last year. He added that the authorities were now concentrating their efforts for the relief of the war sufferers, but stated this could not be accomplished for several months.

General Huang Fu is leaving for Mokanshan shortly, before returning to Peking.—*Reuter.*

CHARHAR CONFERENCE.

Feng's Supporters Called To Kalgan Parley.

MILITARY REORGANISATION.

Peking, Aug. 19.

Sung Chen-yuan, Chairman of Charhar, is returning to Kalgan to-morrow and, as soon as he has arrived, will call a conference with Fang Chen-wu, Sun Liang-cheng, Chang Yun-yung and Chi Hung-chang, all subordinates of General Feng Yu-hsiang.

Sung Cheh-yuan states that his latest information is that the Manchukuo troops which occupied Dolonor recently, are not advancing further.

In reorganising the military affairs of Charhar, General Sung will have the assistance of Chiang Po-cheng, resident representative of General Chiang Kai-shek.—*Reuter.*

Visiting Feng.

Nanking, Aug. 19.

It is learnt that Mr. Sun Fo arrived at Taian at midnight, en route for the sacred mountain of Taishan, to persuade General Feng Yu-hsiang to visit Nanking.—*Reuter.*

CIVIL WAR ENDS.

General Liu's Troops In Full Retreat.

Shanghai, Aug. 20.

General Liu Hsiang has received a telegram from Szechuan, reporting that General Liu Wen-huei's troops are in full retreat to Sikang, marking the conclusion of the civil war in that province.

General Liu Hsiang is assuming office as commander of the Communist suppression troops in Szechuan in the near future.—*Reuter.*

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RASPUTIN AND THE EMPRESS

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In our last instalment, Prince Paul, banished for reasons of state for the murder of Rasputin, had warned the Tsar of a coming revolution, crying out: "Save yourselves!"

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER SIXTEEN

After Paul and Natasha had left Russia for England, the Revolution of which Paul had warned the Royal family was not long in coming to a head. The murder of Rasputin, whom the peasants looked upon as their representative at court, no matter how wrongly, and general dissatisfaction with the war stirred up the masses to revolt. First came the ineffectual Kerensky and his Provisional Government, and following him the Bolsheviki and the Terror!

Immediately upon abdicating the throne, Nicholas II and his family had been placed under arrest in their palace of Tsarskoe Selo. When the Bolshevists took over the reins of government, they had been moved to Siberia, to the same district of Tobolsk from which Rasputin had come. Here they were guarded more closely, their guard under the command of General Koli.

One day he sent orders to his subordinates to prepare the Imperial family for removal to another prison. In the early evening he went to see if his orders had been carried out.

"Attention!" he shouted.

The men looked up. There was a grumbling, half-hearted coming to their feet. Some reached for their rifles, leaning up against the wall.

Koli crossed to two officers who had been playing cards on an ammunition box, and who had come to their feet in a more military fashion than their fellow men. He glared at some soldiers.

"General . . ." Karpov, the senior of the two, said, saluting.

"Well, Karpov, what are we waiting for?" Koli asked angrily.

"They're getting ready, General. They were only told at seven," Karpov informed him.

"Well, get them started!" he said, starting for the Tsar's quarters. "Do you know the White Army's five hours from here and coming fast, and that the British have a squadron at Kronstadt, threatening to blow up the place if we don't let them go?"

"Do they know where we're taking them?" Koli asked.

"She does. Intuition, I guess."

"What makes you think so?"

"She asked me to tell the Tsar we were going to Moscow—for his safety."

"He'll never see Moscow again—or Petersburg, either."

They were at the door of the Tsar's study. Koli flung it open and stopped.

A couple of undisciplined guards got up uneasily from the long sofa. One of them saluted.

The Tsar looked up quietly. He had been standing at his desk, leaning over a Bible, from which he had been reading. There was a short pause. With quiet dignity he went on reading, while the belligerent general receded somewhat before the Empress's steady look.

There was an extremely intimate grouping of the family about the desk, on which was piled all the family possessions——the pathetic bundles having an Ellis Island look. Among them was a covered bird cage, Maria's.

The Tsar read on from the Bible to his family.

"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures. He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death. . . ."

First Koli, then Karpov removed their caps. At the last words the Tsaritsa had moved a little closer, looked a little more protectingly at the Tsar.

"We are ready," the Tsar said finally, closing the Bible.

"Is that all you're taking?" Koli said, self-consciously, looking at the desk.

"Yes," said the Tsaritsa, giving him a warning look. She began to pick up her things.

"Please come on," Koli said impatiently.

Turning to the children, the Tsaritsa said:

"Come on, my brood. Are you dressed warmly?"

"Yes, mammuschka," Aloysha answered.

The Tsaritsa looked around for the Tsar, who had remained at the desk, adding a dossier to his effects.

"Nicky . . ." she said, stopping.

"Yes, darling . . . I forgot this," he said, a little excited.

He handed the dossier to Koli.

"What's that?" Koli asked suspiciously.

"All the reforms ever proposed for Russia in the last ten years——some of them are bad——some excellent. Even your revolutionary ideas are there."

"I was thinking that if you could get this to some of the people in the government—the sincere people——there must be many of them——well, it might save them tragic mistakes. All the needs of Russia are so clearly outlined there——they might find a bridge between revolution and the kind of government they're after."

"I guess we can get on without any suggestions from you," Koli said, tossing the dossier to the couch.

"You will, yes. I was thinking of Russia. Well, Alix?"

She stood looking back into the room.

"Come on, come on," Koli said, now in the corridor.

"A last look?" the Tsaritsa said graciously to Koli. "This room is such an old friend."

She looked for an instant, as they waited impatiently in the corridor. The room was cleared of all save her. She stood on the threshhold and spoke to the room.

"Good-bye."

They walked down the long corridor, past the line of Mongol soldiers.

In the courtyard another group of men were drawn up in rude formation, a mixed command of soldiers and sailors. When the Imperial family came out into the courtyard, they were amazed to see that no conveyance was there to take them to the station.

The Tsar turned to Koli to inquire about this, but the renegade officer cut him short.

"What do I want with them?"

"Put down those bundles," he ordered.

This was done. Hardly had they straightened up than a brisk order rang through the courtyard:

"Aim!"

The rifles and revolvers of the motley group of soldiers are aimed at the Imperial party. A little cry of terror escaped the children. The Empress gathered them about her, while the Tsar, drawing himself to attention, made the sign of the cross.

"Fire!"

The shots rang out. The leaden hail of bullets beat about them. They fell.

Koli gave the order to cease firing and stepped forward to examine the effects of his work. They were all dead. As he straightened up from his examination of the bodies, he shook his head. For a moment it had seemed to him that he had heard faraway music and that he had recognized the tune as the Imperial anthem: "God save our Little Father, the White Tsar."

He shook his head. A good Communist, a good party man, could not afford to harbour such notions.

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In a dug-out in the trenches back of Ypres, Lieutenant Paul Chegodieff of the British army, was hunched over in the darkness, his eyes on the radium painted dial of his wrist watch. A whistle was in his mouth. As the minute hand came up to the appointed minute, he blew a long blast on his whistle, scuttled out of the low doorway and flung himself over the parapet of the trench. To right and left of him in the darkness, he could hear the Cockney soldiers of his platoon, shouting and cursing as they scaled the parapet and began wading through the barbed wire, their rifles at high port.

A spurt of machine gun fire beat against the darkness. Two bullets found their way to Paul. He fell. Losing consciousness as a burly Yorkshire man picked him up and threw him over his shoulder, he cried out:

"For the White Tsar! For Holy Russia Forward!"

"Balmy," the Yorkshire man commented, "all balmy."

* * *

Long, lost days followed at the base hospital. Then another hospital, convalescence, and the painful task of learning to walk with a wooden leg. But these days were lightened by long letters from Natasha.

Finally the day came when he went back to Natasha in a little apartment in Soho Square.

"Poor darling—poor darling," she murmured as she took him in her arms.

"The Imperial family is dead," Paul said dully. "I could tell from the way Remezov spoke, when I saw him that he was sure, that he even knew the manner of their death. He did not want to tell me. He feared to hurt me. But he would not have hurt me. I have steeled my hart to hear it."

Natasha embraced him comfortingly.

He went on:

"But Russia lives," he said. "Russia lives here in our hearts and will live with us so long as we live a useful and a happy life."

"It was the last command of the Tsar to you, Paul. He told you to seek happiness," she said.

Pressing his cheek to hers, Paul whispered: "I have obeyed the Tsar. I have found happiness. I have you."

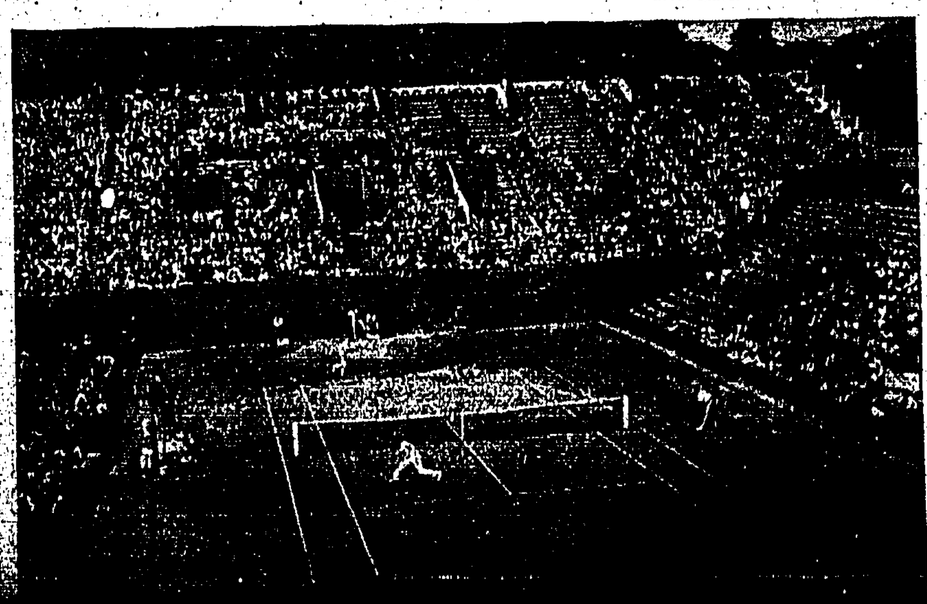
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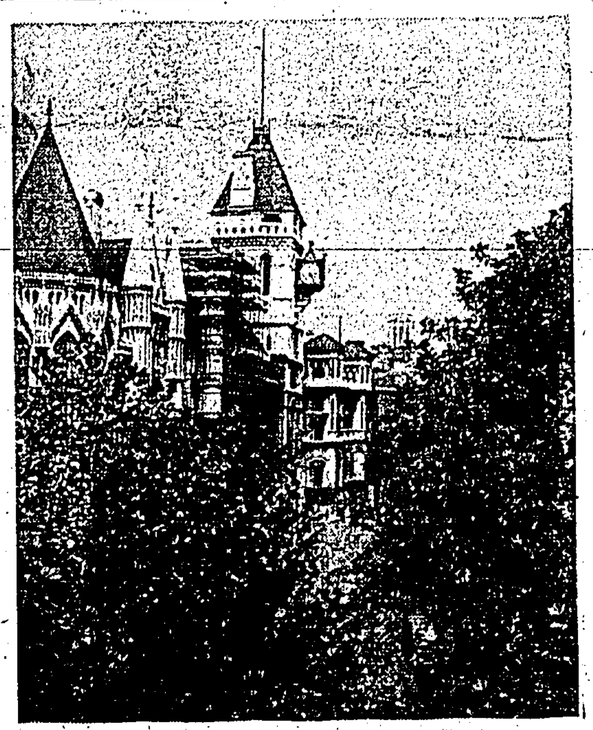


The Duke of Connaught chatting with officers of the 3rd Battalion Grenadier Guards when he inspected the Battalion at Aldershot. (Planet News).



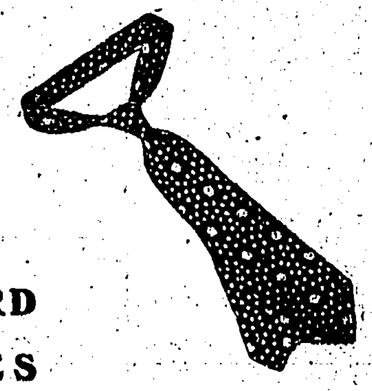
DAVIS CUP SCENES: Here are three photographs taken at the Inter-Zone Final of the Davis Cup between Britain and America. Above (left) Austin in play against Allison whom he beat to win tie for Britain. Below (left) a general view of the court at the Stade Roland Carros with Perry (white cap) playing Allison and (right) Allison and Austin shaking hands after match. (Planet News).





A view of the Law Courts through the trees of St. Clement Danes Church, Strand. The building is being renovated and is in "splints". (Planet News).





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BLONDES AND SUNBATHING

(Continued from Page 6.)

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London.

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How long it will be before victory at last rests with mankind, no one can say.

But the conclusion that the "front" in this anti-disease war is slowly being pushed forward is one that can be drawn from the tenth annual report of the British Empire Cancer Campaign.

There is a note of qualified optimism in the report for the year given by Lord Reading, Chairman of the Grand Council.

"Our knowledge of both the cause and treatment of cancer is increasing rapidly," he declares, "and great strides have been made since the inception of the campaign."

It is also cheering to hear that Lord Reading reports that, inspite of bad times, none of the important research work has been handicapped for want of money.

ANTI-SERUM EXPERIMENT.

One of the most important matters dealt with in the tenth annual report is, of course, the experiment in the use of anti-serum in the treatment of cancer which its author, Dr. Thomas Lumsden, Honorary Director of the Cancer Research Laboratory at the London Hospital, describes as the "final and crucial test" to ten years of research.

Twenty-five cancer victims whose condition is hopeless from the point of view of existing methods have voluntarily placed themselves under the anti-serum treatment.

"It is not considered expedient at this early stage to publish even the provisional conclusions arrived at by the author and by the surgeons who attended the treated cases," Dr. Lumsden states.

He adds this significant comment:—

"It can only be said that the results are considered to justify further and intensive investigation along the lines of research referred to, and the Campaign has generously provided the funds to make the extension of the author's researches possible."

ENCOURAGING RESULTS.

Lord Reading, too, speaks of these experiments in his report. "The results at present," he says, "are too few to afford any real grounds for assuming that this anti-serum will prove to be a substitute for the present methods of treating cancer or that it will really be effectual.

"All that can be said is that the results so far have been encouraging and that at all events a temporary benefit has resulted in several of the cases treated.

"A great deal more work was still to be done before the treatment can be in any sense standardised or made available for general use."

Dr. Lumsden, in the dramatic story of his ten years' task, describes how in 1925 it was first shown that anti-sera could be produced which were capable of destroying cancer cells.

PROGRESS.

The first attempts to cure an animal by injecting the anti-serum failed, but by 1932 it was possible to record that mice could be cured in a large percentage of cases.

"The mice so cured were in future immune to cancer," he adds. "Some of these mice are still living and have now been free from recurrence for nearly a year, i.e. a period equivalent to something like 30 or 40 years in man.

"The results gradually but progressively attained, and all step by step confirming the hypothesis upon which ten years ago this research was based, made it justifiable and expedient at last to apply the final and crucial test and ascertain whether comparable results could be achieved in man or not."—*Reuter.*

SCENE IN ST. PAUL'S

NOVELIST SHOUTS DOWN BISHOP

SLUM PROTEST

London.

Miss Joan Conquest, the novelist, was led out of St. Paul's Cathedral recently after creating a scene during the sermon.

Jumping up from her seat in the second row, she shouted, "I want to protest about slum clearance!" and brandished a yellow-covered book on high.

Walking to a space before the pulpit, she cried "I protest, my Lord, I protest!"—The preacher, the Bishop of Winchester, took no notice and went on with his sermon.

Miss Conquest then flung the book on the floor shouting, "This book, a challenge to civilisation and Christianity, demands that the Church of England take up the cause of the degraded mass of the slums!"

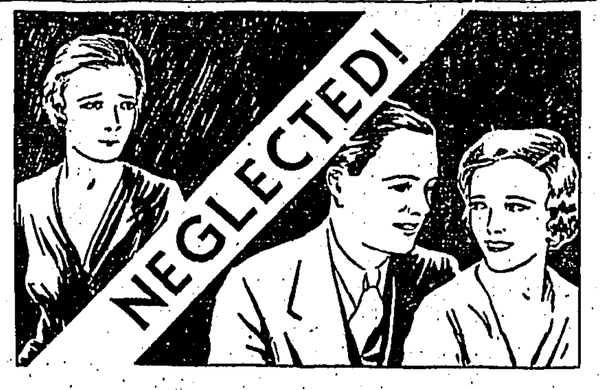
Vergers rushed forward and escorted her from the Cathedral.

The yellow-covered book was one of her own works on the slum problem and was afterwards handed to the Bishop. Incidentally, he has always been an advocate of slum clearance schemes.

Dr. Marie Stopes, always tilting at the Roman Catholic Church on the subject of birth control, has chained a copy of her book "Roman Catholic Methods of Birth Control" to a railing near the font of the Catholic Westminster Cathedral in London.

In an interview, she said: "I chained it near their own bookstall and in as convenient a spot as possible in order that the poor people can read it. It is an old English custom to chain a book so that all can read it. If I had not chained it, the first person coming along would have taken it away."

So far no action has been taken. —*Reuter.*



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Mercantile Bank, A. & B. £24½ n.
Mercantile Bank C., £9⅞ n.
East Asia, $101 b.
Am: O. Finance Corp., Sh. $20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh.$5.40 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh.$5.00 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., $325 n.
Union Ins., $567½ b.
China Underwriters, $1.80 b.
China Fire, $595 n.
H.K. Fire, Ins., $290 n.
International Assce. Sh. $6¼ n.

Shipping.

Douglas, $32½ b.
H.K. Steamboats, $18 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), $80 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), $35 n.
Shells (Bearer), 52/6 n.
Union Waterboats, $15 n.

Mining.

Benguets, $35½ n.
Kaflans, $28/9 n.
Langkats (Single), Sh. $16 n.
S'hai Explorations, Sh. $4 n.
S'hai Loans, Sh. $6.40 n.
Raubs, $11¾ b.
Venz: Goldfields, $5¼ n.
Benguet Exp., 31 cts. b.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, $129½ n.
H.K. Docks, $18½ n.
S. China Motors A., $6 n.
S. China Motors B., $8 n.
Providents (old), $3.80 n.
Providents (new), $1.35 n.
Hongkews, Sh. $339 n.
New Engineerings, Sh. $7¼ n.
Shanghai Docks Sh. $143 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, $6.90 b.
H.K. Lands, $76¼ b.
S'hai Lands, Sh. $32 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. $14. n.
Humphreys, $14 n.
H.K. Realties, $7.90 b.
Asia Realties "A" Sh. $140 n.
Asia Realties "B" Sh. $20 n.
Chinese Estates $97 n.
China Realties, Sh. $15 n.
China Debentures Sh.$137 n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. $14½ b.
S'hai Cottons, Sh., $106 n.
Zoong Sings, Sh., $14½ n.
Wing On Textiles (S.) $85 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, $22½ b.
Peak Trams (old), $155¾ b.
Peak Trams, (new), $73¾ n.
Star-Ferries, $95¾ sa.
Yaumati Ferries (old), $25¾ n.
China Lights (old), $12.70 n.
China Lights (new), $12.35 n.
H.K. Electrics, $74½ b.
Macao Electrics, $33 n.
Sandakan Lights, $10½ n.
Telephones (old), $33¼ sa.
China Buses, Sh. $11¼ n.
Singapore Tractions, 2/- b.
Singapore Pref., 10/- b.

Industrials.

Malabon Sugars $15 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. $20 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), Sh. $16 n.
Canton Ices, $6 n.
Cements (Comb.) $5.30 b.
Cements (Old), $4.75 n.
Cements (New), 80cts. n.
H.K. Ropes, $8 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, $29¼ b.
Watsons, $9 n.
Dor A Wings, $1 n.
Lane Crawfords, $3.90 n.
Mackintoshs, $21 n.
Sinceres, $13.40 s.
Wm. Powells, $2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.), $180 n.

Miscellaneous.

Amusements, $11 n.
H.K. Entertainments, $11½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, $3¼ n.
United Theatres, Sh. $4 n.
Macao "Greyhounds," $10 n.
Constructions (old), $3.90 n.
Constructions (new), 80 cts. b.
B. Ind. & $ Bonds, 77% n.
H.K. Govt. Loans, 4% b. Prem.
Wallace Harpers, $8 n.



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INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Due
Japan and Shanghai	Asama Maru	August 21.
Manila	Empress of Asia	August 21.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 28th July)	Pres. McKinley	August 21.
Japan	Rio de Janeiro Maru	August 21.
Calcutta and Straits	Takada	August 22.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kingyuan	August 22.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London, 3rd August)	Arendskerk	August 23.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 27th July—and Parcels, 20th July.	Naldera	August 23.
Straits	Agapenor	August 25.
Japan	Kitano Maru	August 25.
Manila	Pres. Jackson	August 25.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi	August 25.
Manila	General Sherman	August 26.
Straits	Penang Maru	August 26.
Shanghai	Aeneas	August 28.
Japan	Calcutta Maru	August 28.
Japan	Genoa Maru	August 28.
Shanghai	Andre Lebon	August 29.
Saigon	Felix Roussel	August 29.
Straits	Tango Maru	August 29.
Shanghai	Rhesus	August 30.
Japan	Tanda	August 30.
Japan	Santhia	August 31.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 4th August)	Pres. Garfield	September 1.
U.S.A., Canada Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 12th August)	Pres. Jefferson	September 1.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 12th August)	Emp. of Canada	September 1.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time
Monday.		
Samshui and Wuchow	Kong Ning	Mon., Aug. 21, 4 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Lima Maru	Mon., Aug. 21, 4.30 p.m.
Tuesday.		
*Manila, Makasser and Sourabaya	Tjisadane	Tues., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Suisang	Tues., August 22.
Parcels, ...Aug. 22, 9 a.m.	Letters, ...	Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Rio-de-Janeiro Maru	Tues., Aug. 22.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Registration ..Aug 22, 11 a.m.	Registration Aug. 22, 11.30 a.m	
Letters Aug. 22, 11 a.m.	Letters Aug. 22, Noon.	
Saigon, Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and *South American ports.	Rio de Janeiro Maru	Tues., Aug. 22, 1.30 p.m.
*Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, 2nd Sept.)	Changte	Tues., Aug. 22.
	Parcels, ...	Aug. 21, 5 p.m.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 22, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters, ..	Aug. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Aug. 22, 3 p.m.
Manila	Pres. McKinley	Tues., Aug. 22, 4.30 p.m.
Wednesday.		
Foochow via Swatow	Holhow	Wed., Aug. 23, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Taiyuan	Wed., Aug. 23, 3.30 p.m.
Friday.		
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Vancouver B.C. (Due Vancouver B.C., 11th Sept.)	Empress of Asia	Fri., Aug. 25.
	Parcels, ...	Aug. 24, 5 p.m.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 25, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters, ...	Aug. 25, 10 a.m.
Holhow	Kingyuan	Fri., Aug. 25, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Aug. 25, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C., and *Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C., 12th Sept.)	President Jackson	Fri., Aug. 25.
	Parcels, ...	Aug. 25, 3 p.m.
	Reg., ...	Aug. 25, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters, ..	Aug. 25, 5 p.m.
*Japan and *Canada (Due Victoria, B.C. 18th Sept.)	Tantalus	Fri., Aug. 25, 5 p.m.
Saturday.		
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Ranchi	Sat., August 26.
K. P. O.	G. P. O.	
Reg., ...Aug. 25, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., ...	Aug. 25 5 p.m.
Letters, ...Aug. 25, 5 p.m.	Letters, ...	Aug. 26, 9 a.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island (Due Thursday Island, 7th Sept.)	Kitano Maru	Sat., Aug. 26,
	Reg., ...	Aug. 26, 8.45 a.m.
	Letters, ...	Aug. 26, 9.30 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Ranchi	Sat., Aug. 26, (Due Marseilles, 22nd September).
K.P.O.	G.P.O.	
Parcels, ...Aug. 26, 4.30 p.m.	Parcels, ...Aug. 25, 5 p.m.	
Reg., ...Aug. 26, 9 a.m.	Reg., ...Aug. 26, 9.45 a.m.	
Letters Aug. 26, 10 a.m.	Letters Aug. 26, 10.30 a.m.	
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 26, 2 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco and *Europe via Siberia	General Sherman	Sat., Aug. 26,
	Reg., ...Aug. 26, 4.15 p.m.	
	Letters, ...Aug. 26, 5 p.m.	
	(Due San Francisco, 18th September).	
Tuesday.		
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Mail Service"	Andre Lebon	Tues., Aug 29.
K.P.O.	G.P.O.	
Reg., ... Aug. 29, Noon.	Reg., ...Aug. 29, 12.30 p.m.	
Letters, ... Aug. 29, Noon.	Letters, ...Aug. 29, 1 p.m.	
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Tonkin	Tues., Aug. 29, 1 p.m.
Shanghai	Felix Roussel	Tues., Aug. 29, 2 p.m.
Straits and *Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 30th September).	Aeneas	Tues., Aug 29,
Kowloon P.O.	G.P.O.	
Reg., ...Aug. 29, 1 p.m.	Reg., ...Aug. 29, 1.15 p.m.	
Letters, ...Aug. 29, 1 p.m.	Letters, ...Aug. 29, 2 p.m.	
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Tues., Aug. 29 (Due Marseilles, 29th September).
Kowloon P.O.	G.P.O.	
Reg., ...Aug. 29, 1 p.m.	Reg., ...Aug. 29, 1.45 p.m.	
Letters, ...Aug. 29, 1 p.m.	Letters, ...Aug. 29, 2.30 p.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiching	Tues., Aug. 29, 3 p.m.

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SPANK YOUR CHILD

SCIENCE APPROVES

Iowa City, Iowa.

The good sound spanking is approved by Dr. Esther Richards, Professor of psychiatry at Johns Hopkins University. She says that science has found no substitute for it.

"If you find that your child has scattered the contents of the ice box over the kitchen floor, give him a sound spanking," she said in addressing the Seventh Annual Conference on Child Welfare.

"The child will listen because he has nothing better to do, but it is time wasted in talking to child. The child will listen because he has nothing better to do, but it is time wasted in talking to

SALE OF C.E.R.

SOVIET FINANCIAL EXPERT LEAVES FOR TOKYO

Moscow, Aug. 20.

M. Baryshnivkov, a member of the Board of the Soviet State Bank, has been appointed financial expert to the Soviet Delegation for the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

M. Baryshnivkov left for Tokyo to join the delegation yesterday. —*Reuter.*

TRUNK MURDER CASE

ACCUSED BEFORE COURT

PROCEEDINGS IN CAMERA

Secrecy shrouds the trial in Shanghai of Patricio Remedios, aged 24, and Jose Remedios, aged 26, both Portuguese subjects, who were arrested on Monday last week in connection with the death of the young Chinese woman Choy Ling, whose body was found in a trunk in the first class baggage room of the s.s. Shanghai Maru after she had left port for Nagasaki on August 5.

A large crowd of people gathered outside the Portuguese Consulate shortly after 10.30 on Tuesday morning to catch a glimpse of the two young men who appeared at the preliminary hearing and entered a plea of "not guilty." The two arrived from Amoy Road gaol in a motor car in custody of two Municipal detectives and were immediately whisked away into the courtroom, entrance to which was barred to the public.

An enterprising photographer discovered that a window at the side was not shuttered up like the rest, and, mounting his camera, prepared to take a "snap." This was foiled, however, by Consular officials, who closed the window.

CONSUL'S STATEMENT.

Dr. J. B. Ferreira da Silva, the Consul-General Consular Judge, has since issued a statement to the press.

Only the preliminary hearing of the evidence will be given in Shanghai, he said. No one will be allowed in the Court at any time except the Consular Judge, the counsel for the prosecution (Mr. A. Liko), the counsel for the defence (Mr. T. Rangel), Patricio and Jose Remedios, and a witness. Nothing will be given out to the public, and the witnesses will be called into the court one by one to give evidence.

Dr. da Silva further said that if he finds sufficient evidence to support a change being laid against the accused, the trial will be held in Macao where it will be held by a judge and jury. Giving his reason for this step, the Consul-General said that there has never been a similar case here before, and he did not think the Court was competent enough to take on such a big affair.

AWAITING INSTRUCTIONS.

In regard as to whether any of the details of the case will be made public, he said that if it is decided to hold the trial in Macao, he will get an authorisation from the authorities there to hear the evidence again—this time it will be public.

Eidence of the prosecution only, he continued, will be given here; the evidence for the defence will be given in Macao. If the judgment goes against the two, he said, and they appeal, the re-trial, if allowed, will then be heard in Goa.

On being asked to give his reasons why the case should be heard in camera, he said that this was according to Portuguese law.

WOMAN AND MUI TSAI

CHARGED WITH NON-REGISTRATION

So that evidence could be produced by the defendant that the girl was not a *mui tsai* but was the niece of her paternal uncle, Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning adjourned for one week a case in which a woman was charged with failing to register a *mui tsai*.

Sub-Inspector Fraser, of the S.C.A. said that on Saturday the girl came to the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs and reported that she was a *mui tsai* in the employ of the defendant, and had been with her for two years.

She was sold to accused for $300 by a former employer in San Wui and prior to that was presented to the woman by her mother, at the age of seven years.

The girl also alleged that she worked from 5 a.m. to 1 a.m., ate by herself, and that her rice was of an inferior quality to that eaten by other members of the household.

On the arrival of relatives or guests she had to prepare tea for them. She wished to return to her aunt who was present in Court.

Defendant was remanded on bail of $100.



Cadet D. E. Woods, of Nottingham University, winner of the King's Prize at Bisley, being chaired after his victory.

Betty Takes the First Set

MRS. MOODY RECOVERS AFTER EARLY SHOCK

THRILLS IN U.S. TENNIS

Forest Hills, Aug. 20.

Miss Betty Nuthall, whose chequered career on the tennis court has made her very much of an enigma, startled Forest Hills to-day by sweeping Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody off the court in the first set of their semi-final match in the American national singles championship.

Mrs. Moody finally won, but only after she had conceded a set for the second time within two months. The scores in her favour read:

2—6, 6—3, 6—2.

According to *Reuter* Miss Nuthall played marvellous tennis in the first set. She stormed Mrs. Moody with a blistering attack of strokes of every variety.

Not only were her shots fierce in pace, but were consistently accurate. The English girl found the corners every time and kept Mrs. Moody running from side to side.

THE FIRST SET.

Miss Nuthall quickly won the first three games, then dropped the fourth. She won her own service at the fifth, captured Mrs. Moody's for a 5-2 lead, lost her own in the seventh and then ran out comfortably to capture the first set.

Her success seemed to be too great for her and in the subsequent sets she failed to gain control over her strokes.

On the other hand Mrs. Moody improved as the game progressed and once she had levelled by taking the second set at 6-3, the result was foregone.

On Saturday, Mrs. Moody and Miss Nuthall qualified for the semi-final by beating Miss Mary Heeley and Miss Alice Marble respectively.

MRS. MOODY INEXORABLE.

Mrs. Moody was inexorable and had such command of the game that she won at will. The English girl, a Wimbledon victim of Mrs. Moody, could not get going and lost the initial set in love. After this there was little chance of recovering her confidence and with the American playing better and better, it was only a question of how long it would take for her to win.

Miss Nuthall did not enjoy the same easy passage. She lost the opening set to an inspired player. Thereafter Betty was right on top. Miss Marble failed to win a game in the second set, but she fought gamely in the last and tried hard to break through.

Latest scores sent by *Reuter*:

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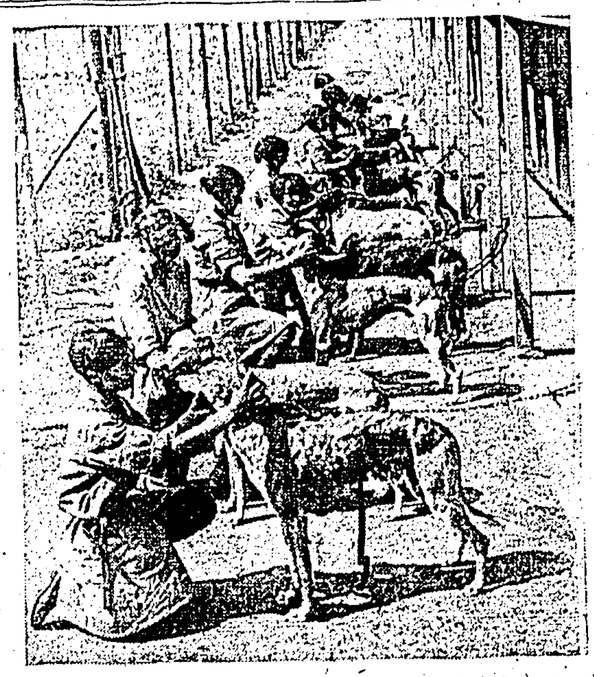
QUARTER-FINALS.

Mrs. H. Wills-Moody (U.S.) beat Miss Mary Heeley (G.B.) 6-0, 6-2.

Miss B. Nuthall (G.B.) beat Miss Alice Marble (U.S.) 6-8, 6-0, 7-5.

SEMI-FINAL.

Mrs. Wills-Moody beat Miss



Brushing up the dogs at the Wandsworth Greyhound Kennels, Sunbury, one of the daily tasks performed by the women trainers.

ARMED ROBBERY

MEN GETS THREE YEARS HARD

KOWLOON AFFAIR RECALLED

This case presents the usual features of what I will call a gang robbery, was a comment by Mr. H. K. Holmes, Crown Solicitor, at the Criminal Sessions this morning when Tang Sui-on was charged before the Puisne Judge, Mr. R. E. Lindsell, with armed robbery.

He pleaded not guilty, and the jury elected to hear the case were Messrs. H. S. Dinsdale (foreman), I. L. Goldenberg, N. Drummond, E. M. H. Castro, R. E. Hoare, A. Witkamp, and Edgar de Chaffoy.

Mr. Holmes said on June 21 about 6 p.m. a number of men entered the residence of Tsang Chi-kwong at 574, Nathan Road on the pretence of delivering a letter. Complainant's wife opened the door, whereupon they rushed in and bound up and gagged the three inmates.

With a chopper the robber than broke open a suit case and stole some money and several rings from a jewel case, and in addition several gold bangles, a wrist watch and a camera. Evidence of identification implicating the accused would be given by two witnesses.

TWO STATEMENTS.

In a statement made after being arrested and charged, accused said "The weapons belonged to a man surnamed Kong. The gold ornaments and camera were taken away by Kong. I had no weapons. I was by the side of the door."

At the Magistracy accused made another statement as follows:—"I met in the street Wong Kui and Kong Po. They asked me to go upstairs to commit robbery. I went with them. I had no weapons with me. Later Kong Po and Wong Kui ran away. The Police arrested Kong Po and he brought the Police to arrest us. When I ran downstairs into the street from the house I did not see Wong Kui and Kong Po any more. When they were about to run downstairs I heard Kong Po say 'Wait for me at Yaumati'. They stole some property. I did not see what. I did not get any. I went to Yaumati and waited all day. They did not turn up. I took nothing from the house."

After evidence had been given for the Crown, accused gave evidence and stated that he went to the floor but not with the intention of committing a robbery. He was with a friend who wished to deliver a letter at 574, Nathan Road. Accused waited downstairs for a while but as his friend did not come down he went up. When he got to the top of the stairs his friend and two other men ran away. He did not know what they had been doing.

Accused was found guilty and sentenced to three years hard labour.

NEW PLANES FOR NANKING.

SATISFACTORY TESTS AT HANGCHOW

Nanking, Aug. 20.

It is now officially announced that Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang, in the course of his European tour, purchased ten Italian-made aeroplanes which he has contributed to the Nanking Aviation School. These planes arrived in Shanghai last week and when subjected to a test in Hangchow this morning they were found to be highly satisfactory.

RUSSIAN ACCUSED OF SWINDLE

ALLEGATIONS AGAINST OUT-OF-WORK

CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENCES

Stanislav Kaminsky, aged 40, unemployed, was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning on charges of obtaining sums of $75 and $80, from F. Chan & Co. Gilman Street and the Hop Wo Loong shop, Tit Hong Lane, respectively, by false pretences.

Defendant, in answer to the charges, said they were false and he pleaded not guilty.

Hearing was fixed for Friday at 2.30 p.m. bail of $2,000 being allowed.

Detective-Sergeant Fowlie said that on Friday, defendant went to F. Chan & Company and asked for four cases of mushrooms, the total cost for which was $428. He said he would pay $28 balance and the remainder on delivery of the goods. He haggled over the change, and after he had left the shop, the accountant found $75 was missing.

At the Hoy Wo Loong shop, defendant is alleged to have ordered two bags of onions. On leaving, the accountant found a $50 Chartered Bank note and three $10 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank notes missing. About an hour after the second swindle, a foki of the F. Chan Company, recognised defendant in the street and had him detained at the shop.

When searched at the Central Police Station, Kaminsky had $431 in his possession.

"The trick seems to be common at Home but I have never heard of it before" concluded the sergeant.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"THE PRESENT AGE IS DOMINATED BY NEWSPAPERS. IT IS THE NEWSPAPER MESSAGE THAT REACHES THE PEOPLE."—*Gene Howe.*

Mr. W. J. Peel, the elder son of H. E. the Governor of Hongkong has been selected for the Colonial Administrative Service. Mr. Peel took his Honours Degree at Cambridge in June, having passed both parts of the

The s.s. "Naldera" left Singapore for this Port with the outward English Mails, and is due here on Wednesday at about 10 a.m.

Chan Cheuk, charged before Mr. Schofield this morning, with possession of two pine trees on the Pokfulam plantation above Kennedy Road, was fined $40 or in de-

FLOOD REFUGEES.

TWO MILITARY TRAINS SENT TO ASSIST

Peking, Aug. 10.

There are indications that the

not spreading, as the waters are still 50 miles from Hsuchowfu at the junction of the Lunghai and Tsinpu Railways.

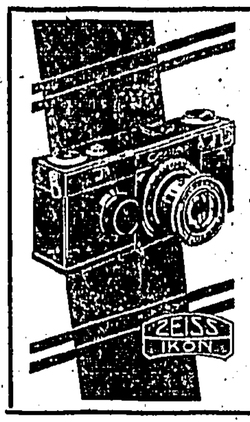
Two military trains have been sent to Taining to convey refugees in that area to Tsinan

RADIO BROADCAST

6-8 p.m.
European programme of Columbia records.
6-6.25 p.m.
Symphony No. 4 ("Italian") in A Major (Mendelssohn').
Sir Hamilton Harty conducting The Halle Orchestra.
DX342/DX344.
6.25-7.25 p.m. Variety.
7 p.m.
(Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.)
Vocal Medley—Here We Are Again.
The Big Four. DX274.
Band—Castles in the Sand.
Band—Hallelujah I'm a Tramp.
Debroy Somers Band. CB617.
Song—Bubbling Over with Love.
Song—Let's Get Friendly.
Florence Oldham (Comedienne). DB530.
Orchestral—The Land of Smiles—Patiently Smiling.
Orchestral—The Land of Smiles—You Are my Heart's Delight.
Albert Sandler and His Orchestra. DB523.
Old—Time Medley—Vesta Victoria.
Vesta Victoria and Chorus. DX290.
Orchestral—Waiters on Parade.
Orchestral—Da-dar, da-dar.
The B. B. C. Dance Orchestra. CB616.
Selection—Old England.
Selection—Kentucky Home.
Sydney Baynes and His Orchestra. DX222.
Selection—Folly to be Wise.
Percival Makey and His Band. DX210.
7.25-8 p.m.
Band and Orchestral Music.
The Rustle of Spring (Sinding).
The Funeral March of a Marionette (Gounod).
The B. B. C. Wireless Military Band. DX269.
Hyde Park Suite (Jalowicz).
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards. DX221.
Offenbachiana (arr. Finck).
Herman Finck and His Orchestra. DX327.
The Evolution of Dixie (Lake).
Reg. Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards. DX228.
8 p.m.
Local Time and Weather Report.
8.3-10.30 p.m.
Chinese recorded programme.
10.30 p.m.
Close Down.
All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. The Anderson Music Co.

KZRM PROGRAMME.

5.00 p.m.—Students Recital—Conservatory of Music, University of the Philippines.
6.10 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.
6.30 p.m.—English Informational Period.
7.00 p.m.—Oliver Music Store programme.
7.15 p.m.—Dinner Music.
7.45 p.m.—Song Recital—Luz Guarina.
8.00 p.m.—La Yebana Cigar & Cigaretto Factory.
8.15 p.m.—States Steamship Tour.
8.30 p.m.—Chevrolet Jamboree—Pacific Commercial Company.
9.30 p.m.—Dance Programme Chevrolet Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Sign Off.



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BAD CONDITIONS SPOIL FIRST SURFBOARD REGATTA

THAT ELUSIVE LAWN BOWLS TITLE

K.B.G.C. LOSE GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY

DECIDING MATCH NECESSARY

The Kowloon Bowling Green lost a golden opportunity of winning the first division championship of the bowls league on Saturday, when, requiring but two points to accomplish the feat, they lost to the Taikoo Recreation Club by four shots.

But this was not the only surprise. Craigengower, hard on the heels of the Kowloon team, fell victims before their own supporters to the Club de Recreio.

The net result was to allow Civil Service to jump in, and, consequent upon their victory against Kowloon Docks, to be in the position to challenge the Bowling Green for the title.

The likelihood of this position was envisaged in these columns a week ago and it now has to be recognised that Civil Service are probably the most likely winners of the championship.

VITAL MATCH.

At the present moment the Bowling Green are entrenched at the head of the table. To use golfing parlance, they are dormy, and will meet either Craigengower or Civil Service in a deciding match.

The last two named teams play off the final match of the league programme next Saturday. The match is on the Civil Service green



CHAMPIONS LOSE—A measure on one of the heads in the Craigengower v. Recreio lawn bowls match Saturday when Craigengower were unexpectedly beaten. (Photo Ming Yuen).

which must have some bearing on the likely outcome.

In the Second Division the Bowling Green as good as said farewell to the championship by losing to the Yacht Club, whilst Craigengower improved their position by beating the Recreio.

Craigengower are now almost certain to retain the title they won last summer. Their only serious challengers are Civil Service, who, having played one game extra, are still two points behind. Craigengower require only five points from their remaining four matches to assure themselves of first place.

RESULTS.

DIVISION 1.

Kowloon Docks	58	C.S.C.C.	58
C.C.C.	47	Recreio	56
Taikoo	62	K.B.G.C.	58
Police	77	K.C.C.	42

DIVISION 2.

Yacht Club	61	K.B.G.C.	47
Recreio	54	C.C.C.	54
C.C.C.	68	Electric	51
K.C.C.	58	Indian R.C.	55

LEAGUE TABLES.

DIVISION 1.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts.	F.	A.
K.B.G.C.	14	9	—	5	18	98	—
C.C.C.	13	8	—	5	16	66	—
C.S.C.C.	13	8	—	5	16	28	—
Police	14	8	—	6	16	1	—
Kowloon Docks	14	6	—	8	12	5	—
Recreio	14	6	—	8	12	—	19
K.C.C.	14	5	—	9	10	—	53
Taikoo	14	5	—	9	10	—	118

DIVISION 2.

C.C.C.	12	10	—	2	20	183	—
K.B.G.C.	14	10	—	4	20	140	—
C.C.C.	13	9	—	4	18	85	—
Recreio	14	7	—	7	14	71	—
Police	13	7	—	6	14	—	17
Electric	13	5	—	8	10	—	46
Yacht Club	13	5	—	8	10	—	60
K.C.C.	13	5	—	8	10	—	140
Indian R. C.	13	1	—	12	2	—	196

The Officers, R.A. will be 'At Home' at Stonecutters Island East to-morrow, to all officers and their families, after the half mile swimming team race.

A meeting of Army Unit representatives will be held in "D" Block Victoria Barracks, on Thursday, at 11.30 a.m. to discuss the programme for this year's Autumn Regatta, the feasibility of holding an Officers' race, and the

RECREIO WIN AGAIN

NOW SECOND IN "B" DIVISION

LEAGUE TENNIS

The Club de Recreio have jumped to second place in the "B" Division of the lawn tennis league and are now on level points with the Chinese Recreation Club, although the latter, virtual champions, have played one game less.

The Recreio easily defeated the Graduates Association last week and so placed themselves above South China. The Graduates captured only two sets, whilst E. A. Noronha and Dr. A. P. Guterres won all three.

But for their odd set defeat at the hands of the K.C.C. the Recreio would now be seriously challenging the C.R.C., as the Portuguese have only one outstanding match to play.

Scores:

J. B. Gonsalves and A. E. Xavier (Recreio) lost to Samy and Gittins 4-6; beat Khoo and Sepher 6-1; beat Cheong and Pau 6-1.

L.A.L. Silva and J. J. Remedios (Recreio) beat Samy and Gittins 7-5; lost to Khoo and Sepher 3-6; beat Cheong and Pau 6-0.

E. A. Noronha and Dr. Guterres (Recreio) beat Samy and Gittins 6-4; beat Khoo and Sepher 6-4; beat Cheong and Pau 6-2.

LEAGUE TABLE.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Sets F.	Sets A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	6	6	0	0	43	11	12
Club de Recreio	7	6	0	1	47½	18½	12
South China	6	5	1	2	41	30	11
U.S.R.C.	6	5	0	1	44½	9½	10
Graduates Assn.	8	3	0	5	27	35	6
Kowloon C. C.	7	3	0	4	31½	31½	6
Indian R. C.	8	3	0	5	31	41	6
Hongkong C. C.	7	2	0	5	21½	27½	4
Civil Service	6	0	1	5	16	38	1
University	5	—	—	5	5	40	0

EASY FOR SWITZERLAND

WIN DAVIS CUP TIE 4-1

ALL SINGLES

Monaco, Aug. 20.

Monaco's effort in winning the doubles match in their Davis Cup tie with Switzerland after losing the opening singles was unavailing.

The Swiss once again proved vastly superior in singles play and won the final matches to-day to give Switzerland entry into the third round of the qualifying competition by four matches to one.

Both Fisher and Ellmer won their encounters comfortably today in straight sets, the results reading:

Fisher (Switzerland) beat Landau 6-2, 6-1, 6-3.

Ellmer (Switzerland) beat Medecin 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.—*Reuter.*

WATER POLO

Postponed Games This Week

The following postponed water-polo games in the H.K.I.A.S.A. League will be played this week:

To-day.

Y.M.C.A. "A" v Civil Servants (C.C.S.S.C., 6 p.m.)

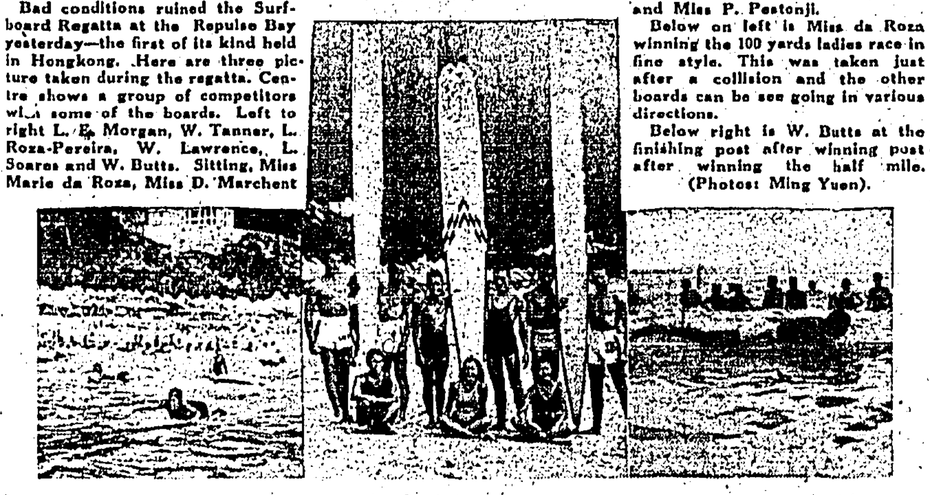
Y.M.C.A. "B" v 'Y' Companions (South China, 6 p.m.)

Tuesday.

Y.M.C.A. "B" v C.B.C. (C.B.C., 6 p.m.)

A Walk Over.

The Hongkong University Swimming Club conceded a walk over to the South China Athletic Association "A" in the Colony Water-Polo League on Saturday, owing to inability to get together a team.



Bad conditions ruined the Surfboard Regatta at the Repulse Bay yesterday—the first of its kind held in Hongkong. Here are three picture taken during the regatta. Centre shows a group of competitors with some of the boards. Left to right L. E. Morgan, W. Tanner, L. Roza-Pereira, W. Lawrence, L. Soares and W. Butts. Sitting, Miss Marie da Roza, Miss D. Marchent and Miss P. Pestonji.

Below on left is Miss da Roza winning the 100 yards ladies race in fine style. This was taken just after a collision and the other boards can be see going in various directions.

Below right is W. Butts at the finishing post after winning post after winning the half mile. (Photos: Ming Yuen).

SPLENDID HALF MILE RACE BY BUTTS & ROZA-PEREIRA

UPSET IN LADIES 100 YDS. DASH

With weather conditions just about as bad as they could be the first local surfboard paddling regatta held at Repulse Bay yesterday was robbed of much of its attraction both as a spectacle and a sport.

It was extremely bad luck for the organisers who had put in so much effort to make the event a success. Their decision to hold the regatta in spite of the weather came as a surprise to many, but the decision was influenced by several of the competitors who enthusiastically declared their desire to hold the races.

Naturally under such conditions the standard of paddling and the times returned by the winners suffered. But in view of the tremendous difficulties it can be said that many of the entrants revealed distinct possibilities.

THE HALF MILE.

The most interesting race was the men's half mile, the opening event of the afternoon. It was won by the favourite, Bill Butts, but it was by no means a walk-over. He was very seriously challenged by Lionel Roza-Pereira for more than half the distance.

Butts owed his victory very largely to the fast start he made. He got away very quickly and was able at the first turn to lead by the best part of the length.

Roza-Pereira hung on doggedly and really paddled a magnificent race in view of the increased difficulties he had in remaining on his very light board which was buffeted by the waves throughout the race.

In the home stretch, Butts, paddling strongly, increased his lead and finished about three lengths to the good.

COLLISION MARS RACE.

The ladies were set a stiff task in navigating their boards parallel to the shore and the 100 yards dash was somewhat marred by a collision which appeared to deprive Miss Doris Marchent of second place. She was holding her own against Miss Marie da Roza up to that point, but another board hit her and turned her in towards the beach.

Miss da Roza surprised everybody by her exceptionally fine performance. She immediately into the lead and paddling strongly on Roza-Pereira's board, finished lengths ahead of other competitors.

W. Tannon won the "Veterans" event as anticipated, and Bill Butts claimed his second success when he captured the 100 yards dash from Wilfrid Lawrence.

The effort to establish a local time mark for the ladies' and men's relay events was not a success owing to the impossible conditions which prevented any sort of speeding, the competitors having to concentrate on keeping to their boards.

At the conclusion of the programme, the prizes were presented by Mrs. Croucher at the beach Kiosk.

TIMES.

Here are the times returned by the winners of the various events:

	M.	S.
Half Mile	5	29
Ladies 100 yards		61
Boys 100 yards		56
Men's 100 yards		36.1/5
Men's Over 30		37.2/5
Ladies Relay	4	21

The results were:

The results were as follow:

Men's Open Half Mile.—1, W. Butt; 2, Lionel Roza-Pereira.

Ladies Open 100 Yards Dash.—1, Maria da Roza; 2, Doris Hunt.

Boys (16 and under) 100 Yards.—1; A. Illa; 2, S. Lee.

Men's 100 Yards Dash.—1, W. Butt; 2, W. Lawrence.

Men (over 30) 100 Yards.—1, W. Tanner; 2, G. Lammert.

Ladies' Relay Race.—A race against time was held, the team being the first four home in the previous ladies' race (Maria da Roza, Doris Hunt, Beatrice Pestonji and Doris Marchent).

Men's Relay Race.—1, V.R.C. Team (T. Paget, W. Lawrence, W. Butt, L. A. Soares).

2, Unattached Team (Lionel Roza-Pereira, W. Tanner, L. E. Morgan, M. M. de V. Soares).

3, Unattached Team (J. A. Soares, S. MacNider, F. A. Sequeira, and A. N. Other).

ARMY TENNIS

Lincolns Singles Finalists

L/Cpl. Ridley ("A" Company) and Dmr. Chapman (Headquarter Wing) have qualified for the Final of the Lincolns Lawn Tennis Singles Championship, and will meet at Shamshuipo on Wednesday.

Before a large crowd, which included the Commanding Officer, Lieut.-Col. E. J. de C. Boys M. C., who is himself a keen tennis player, Ridley, inside left in the Battalion soccer eleven, played brilliant tennis to beat Sgt. Malpas ("D" M. G. Company) 6-4, 4-6, 9-7 after being led 5-4 and 7-6 in the final set.

Chapman easily eliminated Bdsm. Ellison (Headquarter Wing) by scores of 6-1, 6-2.

Lieut.-Col. Boys will present the prizes after the final match.

WIN THE DOUBLES.

Monaco, Aug. 10.

After losing the first two singles against Switzerland in their tie in the qualifying competition for the 1934 Davis Cup, Monaco retrieved their position somewhat by carrying off the doubles to-day.

Landau and Gallepe, of Monaco, were just too good for Aeschilman and Steiner. They won the first set after 10 games, conceded the second, and had no difficulty in winning the next two.

The full scores were 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 6-4.—*Reuter.*

ATHLETES MEET.

Germany Outpoints Britain At White City.

London, Aug. 20.

In the International Athletic Meeting at White City last night, Germany defeated Britain by 76 points to 59.

Borchmeyer, the famous German sprinter, won the 100 yards sprint in the splendid time of ten seconds. He also won the 220 yards race in 22-1/10 seconds.—*Reuter.*

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP.

Joe E. Kirkwood Wins The Canadian Title.

Toronto, Aug. 20.

Joe E. Kirkwood, from Chicago, with an aggregate score of 282 yesterday won the Canadian Open Golf Championship. The defender of the Championship, Harry Cooper, also of Chicago, and Lex Robson, of Toronto, were runners-up with a score of 290 each.

Gene Sarazen was well below form,

SCOTTISH FOOTBALL

SMART DISPLAY BY HIBERNIANS

EARN DRAW WITH RANGERS

LEAGUE TABLES

London, Aug. 19.

Playing in their second game since their promotion to the First Division of the Scottish Football League, the Hibernians, before their own supporters, created a surprise by holding the redoubtable Glasgow Rangers to a goalless draw.

The other promoted team, Queen O'South, who defeated Celtic last week, followed up this performance by returning with full points from Third Lanark.

Motherwell won their second game at the expense of St. Johnstone, while Aberdeen only just managed to take full points from the Airdrieonians.

Full results, as cabled by Reuter, are appended:

FIRST DIVISION.

Airdrie	0	Aberdeen	1
Ayr	4	Hearts	3
Celtic	2	Falkirk	2
Cowdenbeath	0	Queen's Park	2
Dundee	1	Clyde	1
Hibernians	0	Rangers	0
Motherwell	1	St. Johnstone	0
Partick	2	Kilmarnock	3
St. Mirren	2	Hamilton	3
Third Lanark	1	Queen O'South	2

LEAGUE TABLE.

Rangers	0	2	1	0	14	2	5
Aberdeen	2	2	0	0	9	0	4
Motherwell	2	2	0	0	2	0	4
Queen's Park	2	2	0	0	4	1	4
Kilmarnock	3	2	0	1	8	5	4
Queen O'Sth.	2	2	0	0	5	2	4
Falkirk	3	1	2	0	7	6	4
Dundee	2	1	1	0	2	1	3
Third Lanark	3	1	1	1	6	6	3
Hearts	2	1	0	1	9	4	2
Partick	2	1	0	1	9	6	2
Hamilton	2	1	0	1	6	9	2
Ayr	3	1	0	2	5	20	2
Celtic	2	0	1	1	4	5	1
Hibernians	2	0	1	1	1	2	1
Clyde	2	0	1	1	1	2	1
St. Mirren	3	0	0	3	3	11	0
Cowdenbeath	2	0	0	2	1	6	0
Airdrie	2	0	0	2	1	6	0
St. Johnstone	2	0	0	2	0	2	0

SECOND DIVISION.

Alloa	1	Dundee	2
Dumbarton	2	King's Park	1
East Fife	2	Leith	1
East Stirling	5	Raith Rovers	1
Forfar	3	Albion	1
Montrose	2	Arbroath	1
Morton	4	Edinburgh	0
St. Bernards	2	Brechin	1
Sten'muir	3	Dunfermline	1

LEAGUE TABLE.

Forfar	2	2	0	0	7	2	4
East Stirling	2	2	0	0	7	2	4
Sten'muir	2	2	0	0	6	2	4
East Fife	2	2	0	0	5	2	4
Arbroath	2	1	0	1	6	2	2
Morton	2	1	0	1	6	3	2
Albion	2	1	0	1	7	5	2
King's Park	2	1	0	1	4	4	2
St. Bernards	2	1	0	1	4	4	2
Dumbarton	2	1	0	1	3	3	2
Dunfermline	2	1	0	1	4	5	2
Dundee U.	2	1	0	1	3	4	2
Montrose	2	1	0	1	4	7	2
Edinburgh	2	1	0	1	2	5	2
Leith	2	0	0	2	2	4	0
Brechin	2	0	0	2	2	6	0
Raith Rovers	2	0	0	2	2	8	0
Alloa	2	0	0	2	1	7	0

The Aquatic Sports of Headquarters Wing, South Wales Borderers, will be held on Thursday, at 2.30 p.m. in the Eastern

TWO SWIMMING GALAS

FIRST RATE COMPETITION AT S.C.A.A.

INVITATION MIXED RELAY AT CHINESE A.A.

DAY OF DOUBLE HEADERS

YANKEES SCORE FREELY

SENATORS HOLD THEIR OWN

New York, Aug. 20.

Major League baseball to-day was featured by the number of double header successes recorded.

Boston and St. Louis in the National League scored double wins against Pittsburgh and Brooklyn respectively, whilst in the American League, New York Yankees, the Senators, Cleveland and Detroit enjoyed similar victories.

The Yankees ran riot against Chicago, scoring 25 runs in two games, whereas the Senators had close calls with St. Louis, nosing their opponents out twice.

Scores as supplied by *Reuter* were:

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	10	0
Chicago	1	7	4
Boston	5	11	3
Pittsburgh	4	9	2

(Berger homered for Boston and Traynor for Pittsburgh. There were eleven innings).

Boston	8	12	1
Pittsburgh	1	10	1
Brooklyn	2	11	0
St. Louis	6	11	2

(Medwick homered for St. Louis).

Brooklyn	0	5	1
St. Louis	5	13	0

(Dean pitched and blanked out Brooklyn and Collins and Watkins homered for St. Louis).

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland	14	15	5
Boston	6	13	0

(Averill and Cissell homered for Cleveland).

Cleveland	9	15	0
Boston	4	7	1

(Jolley homered for Boston).

Chicago	3	5	1
New York	14	16	0

(Gehrig homered for New York)

Chicago	3	5	3
New York	11	12	4
Detroit	5	11	0
Philadelphia	4	8	0
Detroit	4	10	1
Philadelphia	1	7	0
St. Louis	1	4	1
Washington	2	5	0
St. Louis	3	10	4
Washington	4	12	7

INTERPORT POLO

Shanghai Retains Keswick Cup

HONGKONG LOSE

Shanghai, Aug. 20.

Shanghai to-day retained the Keswick Cup, emblematic of the interport polo championship when the northern team defeated Hongkong by 11 goals to one.

The game was rather uninteresting, as Shanghai was much too strong for the invaders, but was noteworthy for the number of fouls.

Eleven fouls were given against Shanghai and four against Hongkong.

Shanghai led at half-time by six goals to nil, and it was until the fourth chukker, soon after its start, that Hope scored the Colony's only goal. He rode in on the Shanghai posts and delivered a powerful back-handed shot which was perfectly timed.

Du Rivau was the outstanding player on the ground. He scored three times with sixty yard drives and

Two swimming galas were held during the week-end, South Athletic Association holding their fifth event of the season last night and the Chinese Athletic Association organising one on Saturday.

There was some first rate competition seen at the S.C.A. Gala, the chief events being the Women's 150 metres medley and the Men's 880 metres free style championship, the South China team won the first and Wong Yew-man the championship.

A men's life-saving exhibition was also included in the programme, which was brought to a close by an amusing water polo game in which the boys defeated the young ladies by the odd goal in seven.

At the conclusion of the events Mr. Wong Kuen, former General of the Kwong Sai province, who donated the prizes, distributed them to the successful competitors.

Results.

The following were the results:—

Men's 50 Metres Free Style Handicap (over 30 years of age).—1st, Chan Sau-ping; 2nd, Yan Yu-yu; 3rd, Ng See-kuen.

Men's 50 Metres Child-carrying Race.—1st, Tse Kim-hung; 2nd, Mok Wa-to; 3rd, Lo Hung-sin.

Ladies' 150 Metres Medley Relay Race (open to the affiliated clubs of the H.K.I.A.S.A.).—1st, S.C.A.A. "A" Team; 2nd, Chung Sing; 3rd, S.C.A.A. "B" Team.

Diving for Plates.—1st, Li Po-sum; 2nd, Wong Sui-cheong; 3rd, Lau Hung-chu.

Ladies' 50 Metres Novice Free Style Handicap.—1st, Fung Sau-chun; 2nd, Lee Shun-ho; 3rd, Pang Siu-mui.

Men's 800 Metres Free Style Championship.—1st, Wong Yew-man; 2nd, Kwok Hon-ming; 3rd, Leung Wai-sang. Time:—14 mins. 15 secs.

Ladies' 50 Metres Blindfolded Apple-picking Race.—1st, Yeung Sau-chun; 2nd, Yeung Sau-king; 3rd, Leung Wing-han.

Fancy Diving.—1st, Lau Hung-shu; 2nd, Leung Din-sun; 3rd, Yeung Tak-ming.

Water-polo.—Small Boys defeated Young Ladies' Team by 4 goals to 3.

THE CHINESE A.A. GALA

SPLENDID RELAY RACE

A thrilling duel between the South China Athletic Association and the Victoria Recreation Club in the 200 Metres Mixed Invitation team race provided the feature at the Chinese Athletic Association's swimming gala at North Point on Saturday night. The former team won by a touch.

The gala was one of the best organised by the Club this season, and provided many thrilling finishes, especially in the Men's 200 Metres Championship, which was won by Ng Wah-chau, and in the Inter-Department Relay.

In the relay event South China fielded a strong team, which comprised Miss Yeung Sau-king and Miss Yeung Sau-chun, Kwok Chan-hang and Chan Ki-chun, of the Canton South China Athletic Association, who swam a brilliant race to beat E. B. da Roza by a touch in the last lap.

At the conclusion of the gala, Squadron-Commander Tang Yuet-ming, who was the donor of the prizes, congratulated the entrants on their excellent showing before he presented the awards.

The following were the results:

Invitation Mixed Relay: — 1 S.C.A.A.; 2 V.R.C.; 3 C.A.A.

Time: 2 mins. 11.4/5 secs.

Ladies' 100 Metres:—1 Miss Chiu Pui-tin, 2 Miss Tit Hing, 3 Miss Chan Chi-tai.

Time: 1 min. 50 secs.

Men's 200 Metres Championship:—1 Ng Wah-chau, 2 Lau Po-hay, 3 Chiu Cheok-yau.

Time: 2 mins. 47.3/5 secs.

Children's (Under 12) 50 Metres:—1 Miss Pang Wun-hing, 2 Yeung Wing-piu, 3 Miss Pau Po-yue.

Time: 57 secs.

Men's 100 Metres Breast Stroke:—1 Choi Wan-kay, 2 Lo Wai-kay, 3 Ng Cheung-fai.

Time: 1 min. 20 secs.

Ladies' 75 Metres Medley:—1 Miss Lo Kwai-cheung, 2 Miss Chan Yuk-fai, 3 Miss Chan Woon-keng.

Time: 1 min. 12 secs.

Men's 50 Metres Back Stroke:—1 Lau Po-hay, 2 Wun Chee-cheong, 3 Ng Wah-chau.

Time: 36 secs.

Men's Inter-Department Relay:—1 Volley Ball Department, 2 Ambulance Department, 3 Football Department.

Time: 2 min. 25 secs.

Men's 50 Metres Blindfold Race:—1 Lau Po-hay, 2 Kwok Fung-san, 3 Chiu Cheok-yau.

Time: 38 secs.

Men's 50 Metres Obstacle Race:—

SILK DISPLAY IN CANTON

EXHIBITION OPENS ON THURSDAY

In order to create interest in plans for the revival of the silk industry in South China, the Bureau of Sericulture is organising a festival in honour of the founder of the silk industry, a queen by the name of "Leu Tso" (i.e. Si-Ling-Chi).

The festival will be held on August 24 and will continue for 10 days.

An exhibition showing the various phases of the industry will be displayed.

Mr. Lau Kei-min, the mayor will be honorary president of the exhibition which will be held at the Y.M.C.A.

The Bureau also proposed to put up a building in honour of the founder of the silk industry which will be christened "The Memorial Hall of Leu Tso." It will be devoted exclusively to experimental work which will include a condition room for the regulation of temperature and humidity in order to carry on more advanced work in the genetics of silkworms. This building, including the necessary equipment, will cost one hundred thousand dollars. It is hoped to raise half of the amount in Canton and the rest in countries which have direct connections with the China silk trade.

RACE FOR AIR SUPREMACY

BRITAIN REPORTED PLACING ORDERS

London, Aug. 15.

That Great Britain is firmly determined to expand her air-fleet in the event of a failure of the Disarmament Conference, is alleged in to-day's issue of the *Daily Herald*.

The paper states that orders will be placed for a hundred new chasers with an extraordinarily high speed in case no agreement is reached at Geneva regarding the limitation of the world's air forces. In addition a special fleet of seaplanes will be built for the navy. The designs are already prepared for planes of a new type.

While conspicuously displaying these alleged schemes of the Government, the paper criticises them as bound to usher in a new era of international aerial competition.

AUSTRALIAN TAX CUTS EXPECTED

BARGAINING FOR BETTER BANK RATES

Melbourne, Aug. 15.

The Prime Minister, Mr. J. A. Lyons, conferred to-day with representatives of the associated banks and with Commonwealth banking and treasury officials.

He is expected to offer a substantial cut of ten per cent. in the super-tax on income derived from property and an early abolition of the federal land tax. These concessions will be held out to the associated banks as reasons why the rate of interest on overdrafts for industry should be further reduced.

The Prime Minister to-day also gave details of the Government of Australia's compensation plan to meet the claims of British migrant settlers, which were recently inquired into by a royal commission.

PISTOL WITHOUT A LICENCE

MAN ARRESTED ON THE PRAYA

Arrested at the Ping On wharf in possession of an automatic pistol without a licence Ho Kwok-fung, 22, appeared in the dock of the Central Police Court before Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning. Defendant admitted the charge.

Sub-Inspector Kirby said he had been instructed by Mr. Booth, Director of Criminal Intelligence to ask for a remand of two days, to enable further enquiries to be made about the defendant.

The remand was granted.

DUTCH EAST INDIES.

HEAVY TARIFF IMPOSED ON LUXURY IMPORTS

Batavia, Aug. 19.

A proposed import duty on luxury goods of 20 per cent plus a 50 per cent surtax, is included in the Government Bill aiming at strengthening the financial position of the Dutch East Indies by increased import duties.

All other taxable commodities will be taxed at [illegible]

LONDONERS LIKE CHINESE CHOW

EPICURIAN TASTES DISPLAYED

EAT TOO FAST

London.

For ten years now the proprietor of a Chinese restaurant in Buckingham Street here, Mr. Tamaru Sin, has viewed the customs and tastes of "Westerners." In his quiet way he still walks up and down keeping an eye on his English clients and is always ready to proffer advice as to the choice of Dishes.

"I find you Englanders apt to treat Chinese cooking as a curiosity," he said to a Reuter's Correspondent when questioned about his ten years' experience. "First my clients start by asking for bird's nest soup, followed by shark's fin or the usual chop suey.

"But after a while they realise that our cooking has as many varieties and subleties as yours, and they begin to be particular in choosing what foods they combine. Many of my English clients have as good a knowledge of my menu as the Chinese and Indian students who come from the London School of Economics every day."

A CRITICISM.

"If I have to criticise the Westerner for anything, it is that he does not eat slowly enough. You are always thinking of something else that you have to do afterwards, so that you eat with a view of staving off hunger, rather than increasing your health and refining your palate.

"Many of my Chinese and Indian clients make a habit of calling for lunch on Saturdays, when they have no work in the afternoon, so that they have no need to hurry their meal.

"My life has not changed much while I have been here. My fellow countrymen usually find their way here soon after their arrival, make themselves quickly at home and leave again when their course of studies or their business stay is over.

"My English clients come more seldom, but there are many of them who have eaten here since I first took over."

When asked whether he intended eventually to revisit his own country, Mr. Sin replied:

"I do not know. There are two forces that sway a man..... familiarity and memory. I might feel strange if I went back to Hongkong, but I may all the same."—*Reuter.*

POLICE RESERVE

ORDERS FOR CURRENT WEEK

The following Police Reserve orders for the current week have been issued by the Inspector General of Police (Hon. Mr. E.D.C. Wolfe.)

CHINESE COMPANY.

Part II—Training Course. The following members have been passed out as efficient in Part II of Training Course on Tuesday, August 15, 1933: Constables R29 Chan Chung Tung, R37 Lai Yung Kong, and R55 Wong Yok Pui.

All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, August 22 at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

INDIAN COMPANY.

Part II—Training Course. The following members have been passed out as efficient in Part II of Training Course on Wednesday, August 16, 1933:—Constable R294 S. B. Ahmed—passed with credit. Constable R295 S. Devon—passed with credit.

All recruits of the Indian Company residing in Kowloon will attend 3, Chi Woo Street, Kowloon on Wednesday, August 23 at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

All recruits of the Indian Company residing at Hongkong will attend Chinese Company's Headquarters, 17, Queen's Road Central on Thursday, August 24 at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Inspection Parade. All ranks of the Indian Company will attend at Central Police Station on Wednesday, August 23 under Sub Inspector R. J. Hunt for a general inspection of equipment etc., by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp. Dress white uniform, cap with white cover, belt with brace, truncheon, whistle, armlet and badge, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being present.

FLYING SQUAD.

Revolver Practice. A revolver practice for the Flying Squad will take place on Wednesday, August 23 at 5.30 p.m. under Sub Inspector Hopkins at the Kennedy Road Range. Only those detailed will attend.

The instructional patrol of the Hongkong Section will take place on Friday, August 25. Fall in at 5.15 p.m. sharp at Central Police Station. Dress—white uniform and cap with white cover.

EMERGENCY UNIT RESERVE.

Revolver Practice. A revolver practice will take place on Friday, August 25 by Nos. 3 and 4 Sections at the Bowen Road Revolver Range under Sub Inspector Hopkins at 5.30 p.m. The Emergency Unit Reserve Van will leave Queen's Pier at 5.30



"William Shakespeare" (Mr. Vernon Jones) photographing "Queen Elizabeth" (Mrs. Martin Lewis) at the Shakespearian Masque and Fayre held at Beckenham, Kent.

SIX WEEKS FOR ASSAULT

MAN KNOCKED OUT WITH CHOPPER

"You will find yourself getting hanged one of these days if you go rushing about with choppers" remarked Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning when sentencing a Chinese to six weeks' hard labour for assault.

"If I wanted to kill him, I could have killed him," replied defendant from the dock.

Sub-Inspector Kirby said defendant was discharged on Saturday on a charge of unlawful possession of a quantity of charcoal. On returning home, he attacked the complainant with a chopper.

Complainant said he told defendant to leave the premises as he had been stealing. Defendant seized a chopper and struck out at complainant, who fell to the ground unconscious.

FANLING BOGEY POOL

W.H.B. RIGG FINISHES ALL SQUARE TO WIN

W. H. B. Rigg (16) who finished all square won the Bogey Pool at Fanling during the week-end.

Other leading scores were: E. H. Williams (18) one down and Rev. J. Roberts (9) two down. There were 14 entries.

The attention of members is drawn to the fact that as Monday, September 4, is a holiday, the medal competitions (under handicap) arranged for September 2 and 3 at the Happy Valley will be continued on the Monday.

MAKING BOYS REST

AN INTERESTING EXPERIMENT

BY HEADMASTER

London.

Mr. Maurice L. Jacks, headmaster of Mill Hill School, London, is making his pupils sit still for 30 minutes every day after lunch.

"One or two very active boys disliked the rule when it was first introduced," Mr. Jacks explained. "They would have preferred to be playing games, but now I think the rest period has become quite popular with the majority of the boys. Not only do they enjoy it, but they feel much better after it, and are less tired in the afternoon.

"The idea was my own," he said. "It seemed to me that the boys who spent so much of the day running about would benefit by a period of rest after their mid-day meal, and so I introduced a rule to this effect at the beginning of the year.

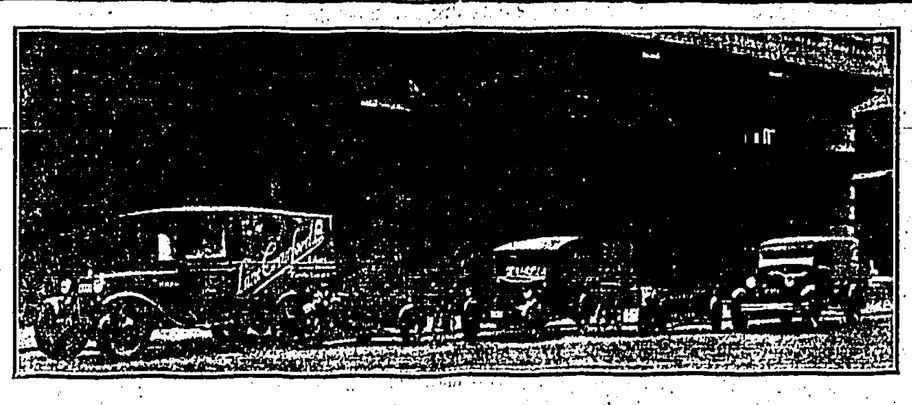
FIRST RESULT.

"Though it is early to say yet just how much benefit they have derived from it, the school as a whole put on more weight in the Easter term than during the previous Christmas term before the rule was introduced."

Headmasters in all parts of the country are watching the experiment with interest.

Mr. J. F. M. Ellis Secretary of Education Committee of the National Union of Teachers said the whole question of fatigue and rest among school-children was one which needed expert and careful consideration, although a great deal of research had already been accomplished on these lines.

"We want to know a great deal more about fatigue and this experiment of Mr. Jacks' will not only prove interesting to the heads of public schools, but will interest those working in the elementary schools as well," he added.—*Reuter.*



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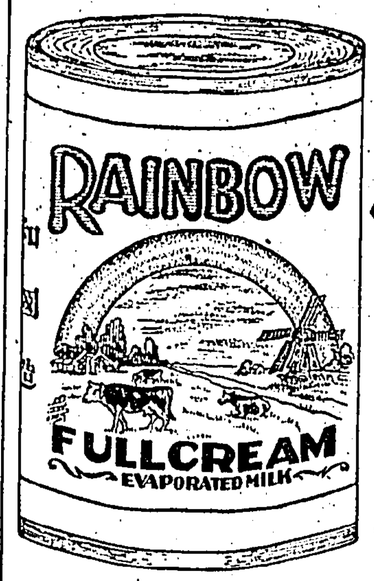
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SHANGHAI ALARMED

The anxieties roused in Shanghai by the proposal to convert it into a gathering ground of notabilities and notorieties planning to hold a crusade against "Imperialism" under the description of an Anti-War Conference will not have been relieved by the tone if the interview granted by Lord Marley upon his arrival. It was probably inevitable that a Labour Peer shoud talk of workers presenting a united front against Imperialism, but when this is accompanied by a Communist demonstration of welcome, the reactions of Shanghai's die-hards can well be imagined. One of the leading journals pertinently asks whether Lord Marley had any idea of this aspect of his adventure into the Far East, adding that after making due allowance for the virtue of tolerance and the merits of a liberal attitude, the pleasure of Shanghai's welcome must be tempered by the discomfort of picturing the visitors in full rapport with those sinister influences which have so jeopardised the progress of the new China. There is obviously a danger in shutting an eye to the subversive tendencies of a movement just because some of its better known patrons come within Mr. Michael Arlen's category of "these charming people." Charm, respectability and absence of intention to defraud do not save the amiable "guinea pig" from conviction if the company with which he is connected turns out to be fraudulent. Because Herr Hitler has galvanised Germany into an admirable expression of disciplined patriotism, it is foolish to overlook the plain consequences of less atractive features of the Nazi regime. In opposite camps these two tendencies—"left wing" and "right-wing" may be their labels—display similar disregard of proportion and, be it added, a similar faith in theatricality, allied to dependence on worn-out shibboleths. Thus this Conference in Shanghai is to inveigh against "imperialism." If, by any chance, the opportunity is to be taken to stage a condemnation of the policy of certain nations—Japan for example—then nothing can be more calculated to strengthen the Shanghai die-hard view that the authorities responsible for the maintenance of law and order should refuse hospitality to the gathering. It is strange indeed to find that a body of political theorists who include in their programme, apparently, a repudiation of Shanghai's right to exist, either as an International Settlement or as a French Concession, should have the effrontery to use the amenities of Shanghai for proceedings which

NOTES OF THE DAY

The restrictions placed upon the use of surf-boards at Repulse Bay are timely and necessary. Even in the hands of an expert, surf-boards moving about indiscriminately are disturbing to the peace and tranquillity of casual bathers, whether danger actually exists or not. New devotees to the sport must, of necessity, be more enthusiastic than adept, and, at the risk of discouraging the development of the new water game, the regulations had to come. In any case, Repulse Bay is the wrong beach entirely for surf-boarding, not only because it is always crowded, but because of its characteristics. The true sport, which is riding a board rushed into the shore upon the crest of a wave, cannot be developed there except under unusual conditions, and the alternative of paddling is, as far as thrills go, a poor substitute for the real thing. We suggest experiments at the less-frequented Big Wave Bay, where conditions are vastly superior and officialdom would not need to step in.

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CRICKET CHAMPIONS

Yorkshire have won the county cricket championship for the seventeenth time in 37 years, and it is slowly being borne on the mind of the public that this is becoming inevitable. Yorkshire retained the honours with far greater ease than they were won last summer, and this in face of what the critics suggested would be stronger opposition. It is a magnificent achievement enhanced by the fact that Yorkshire have not rested content with being just "dour cricketers." They have played their part in brightening up the game and in so doing, have discounted the popular belief that the team cannot play care-free cricket and win at the same time. Yorkshire owe a great deal to Hedley Verity, who, even on cast-iron wickets, bowled with sufficient skill to trundle out teams on his own. Bowes too has played a noble part.

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A NAME COMEDY

In Warsaw, a man named Moses Hitler has been permitted to change his name because a fanatical inn-keeper refused to give him lodgings, because his ten-year-old had been made a laughing-stock in school and because his elder son had been jilted by his fiancee, who had been unable to face the prospect of becoming Mrs. Hitler. In Germany, enthusiastic Nazi parents who are anxious to christen their sons Hitler or their daughters Hitlerine are being discouraged. Officials have been instructed to propose alternative names. If a parent persists in his choice of Hitler, a report is to be sent to the Minister. What will happen then is not revealed.

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WHEAT PROBLEM

Twenty-seven wheat exporting and importing countries are meeting in London to-day to discuss wheat control and it is inferred that the Big Four have reached an agreement. What this agreement really means it is difficult to appreciate. It involves an adjustment of production and trade to world demand. It is an agreement "in principle." It is temporary. It does not include Russia. And it depends upon the co-operation of Europe. The co-operation demanded of Europe is that the nations in that part of the world should buy more wheat. Is this possible unless there is some decline in domestic harvests? All the industrial nations have been devoting themselves with might and main to the development of home agriculture. Wheat especially has been the object of extraordinary solicitude. No word has yet come from Britain, France, Germany, Belgium and so on, that will help to facilitate this accord "in principle." This is essential before one can hail such a loose arrangement as an accomplishment likely to lead to a 27-Power Pact.

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CONSUMPTION POWER

It will, of course, be agreed that the bent of world trade in the direction of government-handled business makes arrangements for the apportionment and control of markets more than ever necessary. Competition between private traders in world markets has often led to unfortunate international rivalries. But rival dumping by governments, such as might occur in the absence of an agreement even "in principle," would endanger world relations. At the same time, however, one would like to see some agreements for the development of consumption. The wheat pact seems to endorse the theory that the whole trouble is overproduction. In point of fact, to quote the governor of the Imperial Bank of India, in his last annual report, "one can scarcely agree that there is any overproduction in regard to requirements, but there is certainly overproduction relative to pur-

THIS MATRICULATION FETISH

SOMETHING FOR PARENTS AND EMPLOYERS TO THINK ABOUT

By Florence M. SURFLEET

IT is undoubtedly a fact that the most careful consideration is given to the setting of questions for the various school leaving certificate examinations, but it is also true that the examination as a whole is by no means a suitable one for the vast majority of boys and girls who sit for it.

What is the reason? Are the regulations which govern the examinations responsible for the state of affairs? Is there something wrong with the syllabuses?

PENALISING THE MANY.

The answer to all these questions is this; The examination as now conducted is designed for the boy or girl who is intending to go on to a university, for each of the eight examining bodies for school certificate grants exemption from university entrance examinations to the candidate who fulfils certain conditions, and the majority of students attempt to obtain this exemption, which is known as Matriculation or its equivalent Matriculation exemption.

The number of pupils who actually benefit from this exemption is, of course, ridiculously small; a very small proportion of the scholars taking the examination ever enter a university. Those who do not enter a university are penalised throughout their school course for the sake of the few who do.

The subjects they study are dictated by the requirements of Matriculation, so that use is not made of the greater freedom allowed by the regulations governing school certificate examination.

Matriculation is naturally an academic type of examination. It is understandable that permission to enter a university can only be granted to those who have satisfied examiners that their academic education has been satisfactory and along certain specific lines.

It seems absurd that a boy (or girl) on leaving school should need to prove that he is eligible for entrance to university. It would seem more sensible if he could prove that he had satisfactorily completed his school course.

Obviously the two things are not necessarily identical, for a boy may take in his school leaving certificate subjects and combinations of subjects quite different from those required in Matriculation. He could obtain a School Leaving Certificate of a very high standard of merit, and yet fail to Matriculate.

The School Leaving Certificate is intended to allow of variations in different schools; it is meant to be the standard of attainment of the average child at 16; opportunity is given within it to any school for the making of individual syllabuses; there is some recognition of the value of arts and crafts in the education of the child, and opportunity for examination in these subjects.

Obviously such an examination is more suitable as a school leaving examination than Matriculation with its academic bias, and the preparation for such an examination undoubtedly gives a better all-round development to the child.

Then why is Matriculation almost universally accepted as the superior examination and the one required by business and professional men?

SET THE SCHOOLS FREE

The time has arrived when from every quarter is coming the plea for a separation of the two examinations: perhaps the most powerful to these is the one made by the Panel Investigators appointed by the Secondary School Examinations Council, whose report was published at the end of last year by His Majesty's Stationery Office.

Employers, parents, business and professional people would do a great service to education if they would no longer require Matriculation of the boy or girl leaving school.

They would thus set the school free to pursue the real task of education—that of helping each child to develop to this fullest stature, while following a curriculum suitable for his interests and for his stage of development.

Blondes And Sunbathing

BY DR. FREDERICK GRAVES

MANY people who are sun-bronzing have been alarmed by the Queensland (Australia) Cancer Report, which utters a warning of "the danger of excesive sunburn as a cause of cancer of the skin, especially in dry places." The report advises that strong sunburn should be avoided, particularly in persons of blond complexion.

No one need wobble at the knees. The scourge of cancer may be caused by many things, but it is seriously questionable if the fiercest and most prolonged sunshine has ever alone set up sufficient of the peculiar irritation necessary to stimulate the formation of the actual cancer cell.

It may be that in some of the very dry and desert places of Central and Western Australia the long-continued action of the very strong sunrays, plus the irritant dryness of the air, and plus the friction of sand and dust, together with the scarcity of water and lack of the facilities for washing (for the skin needs moisture just as much as a plant does) may all contribute to one of the states that are, under any further irritation, liable to develop the scaly rashes that often end in cancer.

We know that the blonde, and, indeed all fair people, are most susceptible to the penetration of the rays, and consequently to harmful results from excessive exposure. The ultra-violet rays penetrate to our ganglia and cause certain changes in the body cells that are, on the whole, beneficial. But excess brings its retribution, and over-stimulus often has to be paid for.

We have only lately learnt that those invisible rays at the other

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The Very Idea!

THE BIG BROADCAST

By Eddie "Hitler" Kelly

INTERNATIONAL protest is not having the slightest effect on the Munich broadcasting station, which persists in Nazi propaganda against Austria.

Fears are entertained in diplomatic circles that the Austrians will be forced to defend themselves by counter wireless attacks.

And once that starts there's no knowing where it will end.

In a few months, we can expect something like this in the Hongkong newspapers:

PEAK RADIO ATTACK
Hint of Seizure of the Kowloon Coal Dump.

The Peak Broadcasting station, despite the assurances given to the Kowloon Residents' Association, continues to lend itself to the dissemination of propaganda directed against Kowloon.

Herr von. Sheldon, one of the leaders of the Peak movement, declared in a virulent speech last night that the time had come to put Kowloon in its proper place.

"We on the Peak have more right to the coal dump than Kowloon," he said. "Kowloon does not suffer from the cold nearly as much as we do during the winter months.

"We are going to have that coal, even if we have to go down and carry it up the Peak, lump by lump," he concluded significantly.

His speech has caused a Colony-wide sensation.

"DOWN WITH THE PEAK"
Retaliatory Broadcast By the Kowloon Station

In a dramatic reply to the broadcast attack upon Kowloon by the leader of the Peak Nazi movement, Dr. Dolfuss ("Terrier") Terry, Kowloon leader, urged the Mid-Level residents to revolt against the tyrants.

"The Peak movement has kept you under them long enough," said Dr. Terry dramatically. "Strike at the heart of their movement. Once you seize the Peak Hotel, you will find that the whole fabric of the Peak tyranny will collapse."

Dr. Terry added that the Kowloon Residents' Association would defend the Coal Dump to the last lump.

RELAY FROM DAVENTRY
Peak Nazis Utilise Empire Station For Propaganda

As the result of a relay of Daventry from ZBW last night, the Kowloon Residents' Association has directed a protest to the Imperial Government, alleging discrimination by the B.B.C. in favour of the Peak.

The speech was made in London by Herr. J. W. Franks, Superintendent of Gaols, who is home on leave. In the course of his address. Herr Franks said that room would be found for all the Kowloon rebels when the time came to act.

"We are clearing the gaols as fast as we can," he said, "and 300 prisoners have already been released to make room for the Kowloonics."

"Discontent and rebellion must be put down with a firm hand." he concluded.

Herr Franks' speech was considerably interrupted by static, and by raspberries from the Kowloon station, which commenced broadcasting on the same wave-length as soon as the relay was announced.

ENVOYS MEET
Representatives Endeavour to Settle Trouble Amicably

Under the joint chairmanship of Robert MacWhirter, Edward Kelly and Major Cassel, representatives of the Peak and Kowloon factions met in the Jacobean Room of the Hongkong Hotel this morning, in an effort to eliminate the tension that is growing on both sides of the harbour.

It is authoritatively learned that very little progress was made, the delegates contenting themselves with shouting at each other. Major Cassel also wanted to shout, so they all adjourned to the bar. As Robert MacWhirter wouldn't shout, and Edward Kelly couldn't shout, they were thrown out on their necks.

Subsequent events can only be gleaned from second-hand sources of information; but it is evident that a free fight ensued, nearly all the delegates coming out on stretchers. Those who could still stand leant on each other's shoulders, singing their respective anthems, "Freezer jolly cold feller" (Peak) and "Old King Coal" (Kowloon).

DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS
Strong Note Handed to Kowloon by Peak Ambassador

The Peak Ambassador yesterday called at the Peninsula Hotel and handed a Note to the Secretary of the Kowloon Residents' Association, informing him that if the Kowloon broadcasts did not stop, he would have no option but to demand that Article XV of the Foreshores Ordinance be invoked and economic sanctions be applied in respect to the Kowloon cabarets.

It is not known what the [illegible] of the Kowloon Rebels [illegible]

QUEEN'S COMING

"THIS PICTURE WILL BE LITERALLY A RIOT WHEREVER IT IS SEEN."

SUNDAY DISPATCH

MY WIFE'S FAMILY

"BRILLIANT PIECE OF GORGEOUS AMUSEMENT."

WINNING POST.

"IT IS GREAT STUFF."

SUNDAY DISPATCH.

ISOLATION OF LEPROSY

SCIENTISTS' GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

Washington.

The scientists never cease their war on leprosy. Quietly and without spectacular publicity they work in their laboratories against this dread disease.

An advance in this "war" has been announced by the Edward Wood Memorial, of Washington, who state that the germ of leprosy has been isolated.

This has been done by Dr. Earl B. McKinley, dean of George Washington medical school, and Dr. Malcolm H. Soule of the University of Michigan. It is regarded as an important step forward, for scientists have been trying to isolate the leprosy germ for the past sixty years.

In 1872 a Norwegian bacteriologist discovered the germ believed to be responsible for the disease. It closely resembled that of tuberculosis. But the mere establishment that leprosy was a germ disease was of little value in its conquest until the germ could be taken into the laboratory and studied. This, it is claimed, can now be done.—*Reuter.*

AUCTION BRIDGE

Kowloon C.C. Beat Sports Club

The Kowloon Cricket Club beat the Sports Club by 2,450 points in an Auction Bridge match at the Sports Club on Friday. The following were the final standings of the couples:

K.C.C.:—R. E. Lindsell and M. N. Rakusen +784; E. C. Fincher and A. H. Carroll + 2,773; J. Baker and A. W. Brown — 698; L. Jack and P. Kristofersen — 409.

Sports Club:—M. K. Lo and M. H. Lo — 1,250; V. E. Duclos and H. Leung + 72; S. S. Cook and H. F. Bunji — 2,007; H. Lo and M. F. Politi + 1,835.

SPORT ADVTS.

VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.

The Open Championships of the Colony for the following:—

Long Plunge and

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will be held at the Club's Night Fete on September 2nd, 1933, and entries will be accepted from any Resident Amateur in the Colony. Entries close on August 28th, 1933.

P. A. DIXON,
Hon. Secretary.

MEASURING THE NERVE

SOME RECENT EXPERIMENTS

THE NECESSITY OF STIMULUS

Chicago.

Experiments in "measuring" the proper functioning of nerves—as a thermometer registers temperature changes—were described to the American Association for the Advancement of Science at Chicago by Professor A. V. Hill, of London University.

Professor Hill explained that along the nerves there are weak points, where ability to transmit impulses to the brain fail, thus delaying the receipt of messages by the central switchboard to the brain. This comparison of the nervous system to a telegraph installation is closely accurate. For just as telegraph wires can transmit only certain number of messages at a time, so, too, the impulses which the nerves can carry are strictly limited. If the nerves are overloaded, "wire trouble" begins.

In his survey of the working of nerves, Professor Hill used a thermometer that registered a temperature change as small as two-millionths of a degree. With this instrument he found that nerves, like muscles, produce heat when stimulated to work.

ELECTRICAL STIMULI.

He therefore applied electrical stimuli to living nerves. He found that, if a strong stimulus was given at frequent intervals, the nerve continued to produce heat—but only up to a certain point. Too much stimulus resulted in a complete shut-down of the nerve's activity. When the nerve was given too much work to do, said Professor Hill, it became "inhibited" and inoperative.

It was at the same gathering that another paper of general interest was read. This was the address by Professor Ludwig Diels, of the University of Berlin, who disclosed some secrets of plant life.

He said that in the botanical world, as in the human world, were some members which exhibited "individual" traits and others which tended towards "Socialism." In some plant societies the single specimen loses its identity in the interests of the community. As examples of co-operative growth, he instanced the dandelion, in which the individual flowers are compactly clustered. In others, such as the orchid, the single flower is paramount.—*Reuter.*

What Makes A Blonde?

SCIENCE BELIEVES IT KNOWS

Chicago, Illinois.

What makes you tall or short, blonde or brunette, blue-eyed or brown-eyed? Probably it is a bundle of atoms known as a "molecule" which you inherited from your parents.

All characteristics which people derive from their parents are believed to be controlled by tiny particles known as "genes," and the theory that these genes are "molecules" or bundles of atoms was advanced before the American Association for the Advancement of Science recently.

"Genes," or combinations of them, are believed to control inheritance by being passed on from generation to generation through human cells. When a short man appears in a race of tall people, or a brunette turns up in a family that has been blonde for generations, it is believed to be caused by a change or "mutation" in the particular "genes" that control height or hair colour.—*Reuter.*

Moustaches Taboo in Andalusia

WOMEN OBJECT

Madrid.

The women of Andalusia do not like men with moustaches.

In Aznalcollar, known locally as "the village of moustaches," they have rebelled and are using all their wiles to persuade their menfolk to shave their upper lips.

Nearly every man in the village has a moustache of the good old-fashioned kind, covering a large part of the face.

The boys of the village rub their upper lips with bacon fat to make the hair grow.

But the women mean to change all that.—*Reuter.*

STORM TROOPERS & SCHOOLBOY

A COMEDY OF IGNORANCE

Berlin.

Nazi storm troopers arrested a 16-year-old Jewish schoolboy in the streets of a small Thuringian town, and took him to their barracks for "examination."

In his satchel, they found a document covered with hieroglyphics. They decided that it must be a secret report in Hebrew.

An expert was called. He discovered that the boy was only trying to learn shorthand.—*Reuter.*

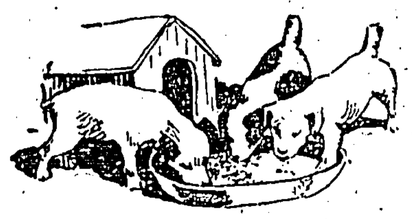
BIRTH ANNOUNCED.

DAUGHTER TO PREMIER'S DAUGHTER MR. A. MACKINNON

London, Aug. 19.

Dr. Joan Mackinnon, the second daughter of the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, gave birth to a daughter to-day.

Mrs. Mackinnon, who is the wife of Dr. A. Mackinnon, took her degree of Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery shortly before her wedding on September 30 last year.—*British Wireless.*



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"Mind" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which was read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, yesterday.

The Golden Text was: "It is God which worketh in you both to will and to do of his good pleasure" (Philippians 2:13).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Blessed art thou, O Lord: teach me thy status....I will meditate in thy precepts, and have respect unto thy ways. I will delight myself in thy statutes: I will not forget thy word....Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law; yea, I shall observe it with my whole heart For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind" (Ps. 119:12. 15, 16, 18, 34-II Tim. 1:7).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Divine metaphysics, as revealed to spiritual understanding, shows clearly that all is Mind, and that Mind is God, omnipotence, omnipresence, omniscience,—that is, all power, all presence, all Science. Hence all is in reality the manifestation of Mind" (p.275).

LAUNCHES COLLIDE.

ONE VESSEL SUFFERS SERIOUS DAMAGE

Two steam-launches collided in the harbour on Saturday afternoon. One received considerable damage and had to be towed to the Yaumati typhoon shelter.

The coxswain of the launch Tak Choi reported to the police that, as his launch was leaving the No. 5 pier of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, it came into collision with another launch, the Fung Fu.

The Fung Fu struck the Tak Choi on the starboard side, damaging her so seriously that she had to be towed to the typhoon shelter for safety.

INDIAN COTTONS.

NEGOTIATIONS MAY RESULT IN HUGE SHIPMENT

London, Aug. 19.

A great advance has been made towards the fulfilment of a scheme to establish a new Anglo-Indian organisation to secure co-operation between Indian cotton-growers and Lancashire.

According to the *Daily Telegraph's* Manchester correspondent, arrangements are being concluded for the shipment of about 20,000 bales of Indian cotton to Britain.

This will be spun and woven in Lancashire and re-exported to India, to be marketed in co-operation with Indian growers.—*Reuter.*

TRINITY COLLEGE HONOURS.

MISS CAROLINE BRAGA GAINS A.T.C.L.

Local honours in the Theory Examination of the Trinity College of Music (London), held here on June 10, have been received by Mr. William Anderson, local Secretary.

Miss Caroline Braga, who has now passed the full examination, has had conferred upon her by the College, the professional Diploma of Associate of the College, (A.T.C.L.). Other awards are as follow:

Intermediate Division.—Honours, Irene Alice Short, 86; Florence Tong 85.

Pass. Dora Ellis 67.

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Pass. Joan Duckworth 65.

Junior Division.—Honours, Violet Shum 100, Jeannette Wong 90.

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Pass, Peggy Ma 70; Ella Hong Sling 65.

The figures give the percentage of marks gained.

PUPS NOT FOR POT.

BIDDERS WARMED AT AN AUCTION SALE

Two animated puff-balls which those present were assured were French pedigreed poodle pups, were offered for sale at Messrs. Lammert Bros. Auction Rooms on Saturday.

In view of the attendance comprising mostly second-hand furniture dealers and others who were not reasonably expected to know anything about the finer points in a dog, the auctioneer (Mr. L. Lammert) found it necessary to warn them against a possible misunderstanding. He said that the creatures were not intended for the pot, and that they were to bear that point in mind when making their bids.

One of the pups was disposed of by private sale before the other was offered for general auction. This *morceau de chien* drew but a single bid, of $14, whereat the owner, who doubtless had reason for expecting much more, looked indignant and withdrew her property from the sale.

An Alsatian pup was similarly withdrawn.

HAVANA ARRESTS.

FOLLOW GRUESOME DISCOVERY IN PRISON FORTRESS

Havana, Aug. 19.

Eight soldiers have been arrested in consequence of the discovery of four bodies in the Castillo Atares fortress, where ex-President Machado formerly remanded political prisoners.—*Reuter.*

BANFF AGENDA

MANCHURIA QUESTION DEBATE

Banff, Aug. 20.

A conflict has developed on the Manchurian issue at the meeting of the Institute of Pacific Relations, which was continued yesterday.

Chinese delegates to the Institute declared that China would steadfastly refuse to recognise the political entity of Manchukuo.

They claimed that Manchuria was the logical outlet for China's teeming millions and Japan's claim for the territory was much weaker.

The Japanese delegates, in reply to questions, said that they did not expect that there would be any opposition on the part of the Manchukuo government to the free entry of Chinese into Manchukuo, provided some guarantee was given of the friendly nature of the migration.

If Chinese emigrants adapted themselves to the new conditions prevailing in Manchukuo, they would probably be welcome.

Textile Competition.

During the discussion on the international competition in the textile industry, Japanese spokesmen maintained that Japan had won her hold on the lower and middle priced textiles owing to the superiority of their machines, and also to centralised management.

The British delegates said they expected that costs of production would be lowered shortly, owing to the reorganisation which the industry in Lancashire was now undergoing.

They discounted the claims by the Japanese delegates that Japan had gained a hold on the industry by superior methods, and referred to the effects of the depreciated yen.

It was suggested that quotas and other methods of international adjustment would prevent unfair competition, and the British spokesmen contended that stabilisation of currencies should be constituted the keynote of the question.—*Reuter.*

PRISON BREAK

MANY ESCAPE IN AMOY RIOT

Amoy, Aug. 20.

A sensational prison riot occurred at 2 p.m. yesterday at the Amoy City Prison when the hundred or so prisoners made a concerted attack on the warders, and after wounding one of them seriously, some ninety escaped.

The whole city was thrown into confusion with the entire Police force making a search of all suspected quarters and the suburbs.

The authorities are reticent in giving information on the gaol-break, but it is learned that ten to fifteen prisoners were recaptured. It is officially admitted that 64 escaped.—*Wah Kiu Yat Po.*

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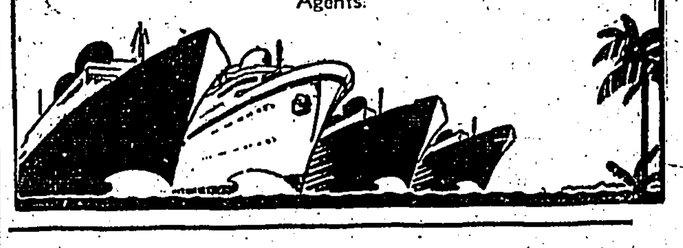
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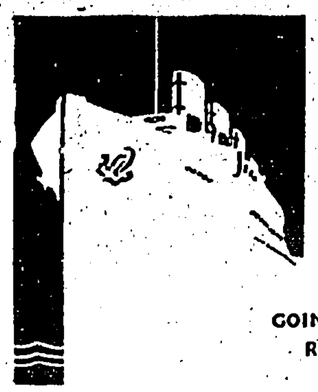
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By W. E. McKenney

I am pleased to present to you to-day one of our new master players in the person of Samuel Fry who, with his teammates, recently won the All-American Contract Team-of-four Championship.

Mr. Fry well demonstrates the type of bridge that is played by the strong group of contract players at Deal, N. J., headed by P. Hal Sims. It was with this group that Mr. Fry as a youngster first played, and to-day he ranks as one of the youngest of champions.

Mr. Fry has given us what I would call an exceptionally interesting tournament hand, not because of its good bidding or play but to show the strategy that a real champion must employ when he finds himself in a difficult situation.

The Bidding

Mr. Fry held the North hand. His partner opened the contracting with one club. Mr. Fry overcalled with one spade—a one over one force. South showed the safety of the hand with a bid of two spades.

	♠ A-Q-10-2 ♥ Q-10-8-3 ♦ Q-5 ♣ Q-J-10	
♠ J-9-7 ♥ J-5 ♦ K-10-8-7 ♣ 9-6-5-4	NORTH WEST EAST Dealer SOUTH	♠ 5-3 ♥ A-9-7-6-2 ♦ A-J-9-2 ♣ 8-2
	♠ K-8-6-4 ♥ K-4 ♦ 6-4-3 ♣ A-K-7-3	26

Mr. Fry then bid two no trump. South bid three spades and Mr. Fry had a close question to decide—whether this was a nine or a ten-trick hand. It looked more simple to him to make nine tricks and so, instead of bidding four spades, he went three no trump.

The Play

East opened the six of hearts. West played the jack and Mr. Fry won with the queen. He immediately saw that four spades was a spread and even though he made three no trump he would have a bad score on the board. His only chance, therefore, was to try to make four no trump.

This could only be accomplished by establishing another heart trick. However, Mr. Fry realized that if he led a heart immediately his opponents would start the diamond suit and then even game could not be made.

He therefore decided on a little strategy and led a club, winning in dummy with the king and then leading a small diamond. West played low and Mr. Fry played the queen, East winning with the ace.

East could not be blamed for not returning a diamond so long as the declarer had started to establish that suit himself, so he returned a spade which Mr. Fry won and then led a heart. East won with the ace and continued with another spade. Mr. Fry then spread the hand for four no trump and top score on the board.

INSULTS JUDGES

STRANGE BEHAVIOUR IN TOKYO COURT

Tokyo, Aug. 20.

Nissho Inoue, said to be the leader of the Blood League, to whom the murder of the late Finance Minister, Baron Dan, was attributed, has been causing the courts a great amount of embarrassment.

Inoue, who is now in gaol, has been troubling the judicial officials by refusing to be tried by the judges in charge of the case, denouncing them as incompetent and insincere.

A remarkable development occurred, yesterday when Chief Judge Sakamaki personally called on Inoue and offered to hold the criminal proceedings in the way the the prisoner desired. But Inoue turned down the offer.

The judge's action is being publicly criticised as unprecedented in the history of Japanese justice The incident has puzzled officials and the trial has been postponed indefinitely.—*Reuter.*

SACRIFICE OATH.

Tokyo, Aug. 20.

Petition after petition is pouring in to General Araki's office, asking for leniency in the sentences to be passed on the eleven cadets facing a Courtmartial for the assassination of Premier Inukai.

The most gruesome of these missives was a parcel containing nine blood-stained little-fingers, cut off from the hands of the petitioners who, in a strongly-worded petition, declared they are willing to lay down their lives for the cadets.—*Reuter.*

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THE GARDNER CASE

QUESTION OF TRIAL PROCEDURE

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Mr. P. H. Sin is prosecuting on behalf of the complainant firm, while Mr. W. A. Mackinlay is for the defence.

Mr. Sin said that the charge against Gardner was under the Bankruptcy Ordinance. It had only occurred to him this morning, [illegible] learned friend, that the case is one for committal for trial. It was an offence under the third schedule of the Magistrates' Ordinance, 1932 and it seemed a committal case.

Mr. Wynne-Jones said he had not had sufficient time to go thoroughly into the point raised and he did not propose to give a ruling at this juncture. It was a very important point and he would not give a rush decision.

Under the provisions of the Magistrates Ordinance, 1890, the offences were not triable but under the bankruptcy ordinance, 1931 they were made triable. Between the bankruptcy ordinance and the Magistrates Ordinance, 1931 and 1932, it was definitely intended that the offences be tried summarily.

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OPIUM LAW MUST BE CLARIFIED

FLAW IN NEW SECTION

"The law has to be clarified if any future prosecutions are to succeed," said Mr. C. Y. Kwan at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when he successfully defended a woman named Wong Ho, who was charged before Mr. Butters with allowing an opium divan to be carried on at 165, Reclamation Street, first floor, of which she was the principal tenant.

Defendant was charged under Section 15 of the Opium Ordinance, which was amended on August 4, 1933, by the addition of the following, "No person being the owner or occupier of any premises, or having, or acting or assisting in, the management or control thereof, shall knowingly suffer any person to use the same as an opium divan."

It was alleged by Revenue Officer Trengrove that in a raid which he carried out on defendant's premises on the evening of August 18, he found eight men smoking opium in the first and second cubicles. A man admitted to be the keeper of the divan, and pointed out defendant as the principal tenant of the floor. Defendant confessed to being the principal tenant and produced rent receipts which were made out in the name of her mother-in-law, who was now dead.

Mr. Kwan called a rent-collector, who stated that he had been collecting rent from No. 165 Reclamation Street for the last seven years. Formerly a woman named So Ng paid the rent, but since her death in February this year, a man named Lam had been paying.

Mr. Kwan submitted that on the evidence he had no case to answer. His client was charged as being the principal tenant, whereas in fact, it had been shown she was not.

The Magistrate remarked that there was nothing in the Ordinance regarding a "principal tenant," in the sense that they understood the term.

Mr. Kwan agreed, and said the law had to be charified on the point.

In discharging the defendant Mr. Butters said the point as to whether a principal tenant was the occupier of a whole floor, or the portion of the floor he had sublet, ought to be cleared up, but he could see nothing in the Ordinance about it.



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PIGEONS CROWDED INTO BASKET

Twelve pigeons crowded into a small basket led to the appearance of a Chinese boatman before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court this morning on a charge of cruelty. A fine of $10, or two weeks, was imposed.

Sub-Inspector Dredge said the pigeons were obviously suffering as they were one on top of the other. He took them out and placed them in a roomy cage when defendant was brought to the charge room by Police Contable Bethell.

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